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TO OUR READERS.

It is with sincere pleasure that we seize the opportunity, of completing our Fourteenth Volume, to return our grateful acknowledgments to a generous and discerning Public—assuring them that those exertions, which have hitherto secured their patronage of the Sporting Magazine, so far from relaxing our endeavours, will urge the Editors and Proprietors of this work to avail themselves of every source of improvement within the circle of Genius or Industry, and thus ensure success on our part, and satisfaction to our numerous Subscribers.

The late favours of "An Amateur," if ever received, are unfortunately mislaid, except a Hint for an Epitaph, &c. &c. This production, though exciting the most lively feelings in the Publisher's mind, from its being a true portrait of a most valued, intimate, and much-lamented friend, is nevertheless, in his humble opinion, an unfit subject for the Sporting Magazine. This, however, will not, it is hoped, preclude us from the future favours of "An Amateur," which shall henceforth be scrupulously attended to.

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PORTRAIT OF DIAMOND.

WE have this month the satisfaction of presenting our readers with a beautiful Portrait of DIAMOND, from a painting of Sartorius; for an account of whose pedigree and performances, we must refer them to our last Magazine, page 236.

EXTRA SPORTING INTELLIGENCE

IN addition to the many sporting matches lately made, we beg leave to observe the following one, on which some hundreds, if not thousands, have already been bet.

On Saturday, before next York August meeting, 1800, Mr. Baker's bay horse Jonas, by Escape, out of Lavender, and Mr. Walker's bay horse Knowsley, by Sir Peter, out of Capella, carrying 8st. 7lb. each, are to run four miles over Knaresmire, for 300gs. each, h. ft.—The betting was even at first, but five and six to four have been laid on Jonas.—His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales has since purchased Knowsley.

We are glad to find the turf reviving so rapidly in this country, and, we hope, also in Ireland.—Sir H. T. Vane sent an express for Lopcatcher, during the last Richmond races; and on Saturday, the 7th instant, she set off for the north of Ireland, where she was engaged to run during the present month.

Partridge shooting has already commenced in this part, and are in great abundance, but are difficult to be come at, on account of so little corn being cut. Foxes are in great plenty, and also hares, pheasants, &c.—Moor game is in great quantities, and the broods large and strong.

Northallerton,
September 9, 1799.

To the EDITORS *of the* SPORTING MAGAZINE.

GENTLEMEN,

YOUR polite attention to the last two letters I sent you, has induced me to send you the following sporting articles.

Sept. 9th, 1799. TALLY HO!

PEDIGREE AND PERFORMANCES OF TUBEROSE.

Tuberose was bred by Mr. Selby, of Northumberland, and foaled in 1772; got by King Herod, her dam by Starling, out of Coughing Polly, by Bartlett's Childers, Counsellor, Snake, Luggs, Davill's Old Woodcock.

In 1775, the joint property of Sir Thomas Gascoigne, Bart. and Thomas Stapleton, Esq. she beat Mr. Wentworth's Blue Bell, 8st. each, two miles, 100gs—five to two she won.

In 1776, Newmarket first spring meeting, Tuberose, 7st. 4lb. beat Ld Clermont's Impudence, 7st. 8lb. D. I. 300gs, and received two forfeits of 100gs. each, from Lord Abingdon's Pontifex.

At York August meeting, she won a stakes of 650gs, easy, for four yrs old colts, 8st. 7lb. fillies, 8st. 4lb. four miles, beating Pontac, Bootcatcher, and another—2 to 1 on Pontac.

On Friday, in the same week, she won the great subscription of 331l. 10s. for four yr old colts, 8st. 7lb. fillies 8st. 4lb. four miles, beating Miss Nightingale, Carbuncle, Caroline, Periscus, Two-penny, Yellow, and Venetian—six to four on Tuberose.

At Richmond, she won the gold cup, value 100gs, carrying 6st. 11lb. beating Telemachus, 8st. 7lb. and a Sampson colt of Ld Rockingham's, 6st. 11lb.—three to one on Tuberose.

At Doncaster, she won the gold cup, value 100gs—four miles, carrying 7st. 7lb. beating Miss Cornforth, five yrs old, 8st. 3lb. second; Harlequin, five yrs old, 8st. 3lb. third; Phaeton, four yrs old, 7st. 7lb. fourth; and another—six to four agst Tuberose, and three to one against Miss Cornforth.—A fine race.

In 1777, at Newmarket, in April, Tuberose beat Mr. Jenning's Count, 8st. each, B. C. 1000gs.

In 1778, Tuberose won 50l. at Epsom, and 50l. at Stamford, beating Mr. Dymock's Lucullus.

Tuberose was then sold to Henry Peirse, Esq. of Bedale, Yorkshire; and in the same year, at Richmond, she, carrying 8st. 7lb. won the gold cup, value 100gs—four miles; beating Royal Slave, Parthian, Marcia, Antonio, Steady, Young Ranger, and two others—six to four against Antonio, and twenty to one against Tuberose; a fine heat, and won with difficulty.

At Malton, carrying 8st. 3lb. she beat Ld Rockingham's Monkey, 6st. 11lb.—four miles, 100gs.

She was afterwards a brood mare in Mr. Peirse's stud, and was the dam of Rosina, Enchanter, Young Tuberose, Rosamond, Countessina, Rosalie, &c. &c.

PONEY RACES, SEPT. 4.

ONE of the most interesting and instructive matches occurred at Egham races, on Wednesday, that has been witnessed this year. Mr. Pardy, of the city, has a black poney, called Cottager, one of the finest creatures in the kingdom, and he had trained up a very clever boy to ride him. This boy and poney were certainly very fleet, and very expert, and Mr. Pardy had reason to be vain of them—but he was too vain—he challenged all England! and had many persons of property who offered to back his opinion. The consequence was, the *knowing ones* laid their heads together, how they should take the conceit out of Mr. Pardy and his friends. Mr. Hancock, also of the city, resolved to find a match for Cottager. The most knowing jockies employed themselves in seeking a clever poney, and at last they found one, perhaps the best in England. This was purchased, and offered to run against Cottager, and a match was made, which on Wednesday was run for at Egham.

The race was, Mr. Hancock's bay poney, Volatile, against Mr. Pardy's black poney, Cottager, for 50gs a side.—Even betting.

Volatile was about half a hand higher than Cottager, and shewed much blood; both of them, indeed, are beautiful creatures. Mr. Pardy's friends rested their chief hopes on the skill of the boy who rode Cottager, and on the difficulty of finding a boy equally qualified to ride Volatile. This hope, however, failed;

failed; for a son of Chiffney's, the celebrated jockey of Newmarket, was appointed to the task. He is a fine boy, about nine years old, and rode amazingly well, sitting on as tight as a drum, and managing the poney with extraordinary dexterity. The principal fear of the friends of Volatile was, that it would become restive, and run out of the course, otherwise they were certain of winning.

The race was two miles on the New Course. Cottager took the lead till the last quarter of a mile; this was a fortunate circumstance for Volatile, who, if first, might have run away, but the poney before induced him to follow. At the last quarter of a mile, however, young Chiffney passed his antagonist, and won easily by two lengths.

The betting was chiefly between the friends of the respective parties, who went from London. The bets were small, but numerous, mostly between one and ten pounds, and it is believed about five hundred pounds was depending on the match. All the jockies and knowing ones backed Volatile; but Mr. Pardy's friends, on the other hand, were numerous, and confident of success. This match was the most interesting run at Egham races.

EPITAPH

In the Church Yard of Gimmingham, in the County of Norfolk.

SACRED to the memory of Thomas Jackson,* Comedian, who was engaged December 21st, 1741, to play a comic cast of characters in this great theatre, The World; for many of which he was prompted by nature, to excel.—The season being ended, his benefit over, the charges all paid, and his account closed, he made his exit in the tragedy of Death, on the 17th of March, 1798, in full assurance of being called once more to rehearsal, where he hopes to find his forfeits all cleared, his cast of parts bettered, and his situation made agreeable by Him who paid the great stock debt, for the love he bore to performers in general.

* A late favourite actor in the Norwich company.

CHASE AND DEATH OF THE NORTHUMBERLAND WILD DOG.

WE mentioned the first hunt this extraordinary animal sustained, in our Magazine for June, under the head of Sporting Intelligence, p. 161.—We take the following account from the Newcastle Courant, of Saturday, Sept. 21—.

A few days ago, a dog of a most destructive nature infested the Fells of Caldbuck, Carrock, and High Pike, distant about sixteen miles South of Carlisle; little doubt remains of its being the same dog which has been so injurious to the farmers in the northern parts of Northumberland; as no less than *sixty sheep or upwards* have fallen victims to its ferocity. It was thought expedient to lose no time in attempting to destroy this subtle animal; accordingly, Tuesday last was agreed upon for that purpose. Sir H. Fletcher, Bart. of Clea-Hall, offered the assistance of his pack of hounds; and several other dogs, with about fifty horsemen, set out from Hesket New-Market; several persons with fire-arms were stationed at different parts. The dog was descried upon an eminence of Carrock-Fell, and on sight of the pursuers set off by way of Hesket-New-Market, Stocklewath, and Barwick-Field, then returned by Cowclose, Castle Sowerby, and attempted to regain the fells again; when

when Mr. Sewell, farmer at Wedlock, lying in ambush at Mossdale, fired at him, and succeeded in shooting him; he appears to be of the Newfoundland breed, of a common size, wire-haired, and extremely lean: During the chase he frequently turned upon the dogs, which were headmost, and so wounded several, as obliged them to give up the pursuit.

The joy manifested on this occasion was uncommon; insomuch, that on the day following about thirty persons sat down to a dinner provided at Mr. Tomlinson's, Hesket-New-Market, where the day was spent with great decorum.

Upon the most moderate computation (excluding the various windings), the chase could not be less than thirty miles, and occupying no less than six hours.

ACCOUNT OF THE HORSEMANSHIP OF THE MOORS.

THE subject on which the Moors (like our young men of fashion in England) appear most calculated to shine, is in their horses. It would indeed be truly disgraceful not to be accomplished upon this topic, since it appears to occupy, by far, the greatest part of their attention. The horses are seldom kept in stables in Morocco: they are watered and fed twice a day; the former at one o'clock at noon, and the latter at sun-set; and the only mode which they use to clean them, is by washing them all over in a river two or three times a week, and suffering them to dry themselves.

Notwithstanding the attachment which the Moors manifest to their horses, they most certainly use them with great cruelty. Their highest pleasure, and one of their first accomplishments is, by means of long and sharp spurs, to make the horse go full speed, and then to stop him instantaneously; and in this they certainly manifest uncommon dexterity. The iron-work of their bridles is so constructed, that by its pressure on the horse's tongue and lower jaws, with the least exertion of the rider, it fills his mouth full of blood, and if not used with the utmost caution, throws him inevitably on his back. The bridle has only a single rein, which is so very long that it serves the purpose of both whip and bridle. The Moorish saddle is, in some degree, similar to the Spanish; but the pummel is still higher and more peaked. Their stirrups, in which they ride, are very short, and so formed as to cover the whole of the foot. They either plate or gild them, according to the dignity, opulence, or fancy of the possessor. Their saddles, which are covered with red woollen cloth, if (belonging to a person of consequence, with red sattin or damask) are fastened with one strong girth round the body, in the European style, and another round the shoulders.

The Moors frequently amuse themselves by riding, with the utmost apparent violence, against a wall; and a stranger would conceive it impossible for them to avoid being dashed to pieces, when, just as the horse's head touches the wall, they stop him with the utmost accuracy.

To strangers on horseback, or on foot, it is also a common species of compliment to ride violently up to them, as if intending to trample them to pieces, and then to stop their horses short, and fire a musquet in their faces. This compliment I have experienced, and could very well have dispensed with their politeness. Upon these occasions, they are very proud in discovering their dexterity in horsemanship, by making the animal rear up, so as to almost throw him on

on his back, putting him immediately after on the full speed for a few yards, then stopping him instantaneously: and all this is accompanied by loud and hollow cries.

There is also another favourite amusement, which displays, perhaps, superior agility—a number of persons, on horseback, start at the same moment, and accompanied with loud shouts, gallop at full speed to an appointed spot, when they stand up straight in the stirrups, put the rein, which I have just observed is very long, in their mouths, level their pieces and fire them off, and stop their horses nearly at the same instant. This, I am told, is their manner of engaging in an action.

Though I am willing to allow the Moors the merit of sitting a horse well, and, as far as is necessary for the above-mentioned exercise, of having a great command over him, yet their horses are ill-bred, and they entirely neglect to teach them those paces which, in Europe, are considered as the most agreeable for the common purposes of riding. As none of these animals in Morocco are geldings, and as the Moors are unacquainted with the use of the ring, they are obliged to break them in when very young, by taking them long and fatiguing journies; particularly over the mountainous and rocky part of the country, where they soon reduce their spirit; they then take the opportunity of teaching them to rear up, stand fire, gallop, stop short in the manner already related: and having accomplished this, they are satisfied without any further qualification. For this reason, a Barbary horse seldom can perform any other pace than a full gallop or walk; and from being broken in and worked hard before they have acquired their full strength, these horses, in a very few years, become unfit for service. The Moors seldom ride the mares, but keep them in the country for breeding; and, contrary to the general opinion in Europe, they consider them so much the more valuable than horses, that they are never permitted to be exported.

A SINGULAR CHARACTER.

For the SPORTING MAGAZINE.

SIR,

TO view human nature in every attitude, it is necessary to take even the most singular characters into consideration. I accordingly send you a few anecdotes respecting a maiden lady, recently deceased, in Sussex. Her history, for several years past, has excited much curiosity in that part of the country where she resided, and upon the authenticity of the following particulars, the readers of your entertaining miscellany may depend.

This very singular maiden lady died at the age of fifty-seven.—She was of a respectable family, and of considerable property, from twelve to eighteen thousand pounds. For near these last thirty years, she had secluded herself from society, nor did she even make her appearance at her own place of worship. In the year 1790, she built a neat and elegant house for herself, at Horsham, but never occupied it, living in a small apartment close to it, out of which there was an entrance into the mansion, through the rooms of which she would often strole to examine the state of the furniture, and to congratulate herself on the extent of her domains. It is said that she never saw the front of this house. The only time when she has been known to have quitted it, was to attend the assizes at East Grinstead; but then she went off in the night, and returned during the night.

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She was extremely fond of animals of almost every description; they had even free access into the room where she lived, and were there entertained with the melodious strains of an hand organ. At one time her collection was large, and consisted of dogs, cats, monkies, guinea pigs, hares, rabbits, squirrels, peacocks, doves, parrots, &c. Few of this large family have survived her, but she has not forgotten them. The interest of three hundred pounds, viz. fifteen pounds per annum, is left to a person, who, according to her own expressions, must, for this sum, "Feed and take care of them for and during their natural lives."

Her will was written by herself, and abounded with all that circuitous jargon for which legal writings are so conspicuously distinguished. Its minute particularity, and unusual length, must have taken up a great portion of the old lady's time; and we must consider it to be her chief and only production. It manifested, in every part, the possession of intellect, though stamped with the most prominent features of eccentricity.

The principal part of her property she has left to her favourite maid servant, and to a worthy dissenting minister, who did, indeed, preside over the religious society to which she belonged; but she never did him the honour of attending upon his ministry. She has also appointed that two shillings worth of bread shall be distributed among certain poor persons, who shall attend divine service, in order to induce their attendance on public worship. The manner of the donation is thus curiously specified by her:—"A shelf is to be fixed to the front part of her seat, on which the loaves are to be arranged previous to divine service, at the close of which they are to be taken down for distribution."

But the old lady has certainly done but half the business, for she ought to have appointed another shelf for the *fishes*, which in Sussex, being a maritime county, might be easily obtained. In our Saviour's time *loaves* and *fishes* were powerful inducements with many to follow him; nor can any reason be assigned for their being less seductive in modern times. But, perhaps, this lady recollected that our Saviour censured the loaves and fishes, and resolved that, in her case, they should not be again united.

Few persons have been more particular respecting their interment. She ordered that her body should be kept one month after her decease, and even longer, provided that there were not, at the expiration of this period, symptoms of putrefaction. Happily, however, these indications of dissolution were not wanting, and between thirty and forty pounds were expended in spirits of wine, by which her corpse was continued in a tolerable state of preservation.

According to her express appointment also, her body was, first of all, inclosed in a shell, then in a leaden coffin, afterwards in a coffin of oak; and, lastly, the whole was let down into a stone coffin, made of the best Portland stone. Black marble was likewise specified by her, but the mason was left to determine which of these substances possessed the greatest degree of durability. These coffins had none of their lids fastened, agreeable to her request.

On the oaken coffin, the breast-plate and the ornaments were plated with silver; and on the lid of the stone coffin, she appointed her name, her age, and the period of her decease to be cut, each letter to be *three quarters of an inch deep*.

A PHILO-

A PHILOSOPHICAL AND PRACTICAL TREATISE ON HORSES, AND ON THE MORAL DUTIES OF MAN TOWARDS THE BRUTE CREATION.

BY JOHN LAWRENCE,

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[*Continued from page* 236.]

WE select the following from Chapter V. on the paces, and the equestrian art, or modern method of riding on horseback, as practised by both sexes.

The walk, is generally long and striding, in proportion to the blood of the horse, contrarywise, short and shuffling. All horses are improved considerably in their walk, by keeping them long and frequently to it, patting them on the quarter with the switch, and obliging them to walk fairly without shuffling. Six miles in one hour, is the utmost that has ever been performed by a horse, in the walking way.

The true trot is performed with a quick and straight forward motion, and a bended knee. The horse which points out his fore-legs, and goes with his knee straight, is no trotter, whatever the old jockies may have said of their *pointing* trotters; they lose time by overstriding; nor are such usually good hacks. But it matters not how far a trotter steps forward, provided his knee be sufficiently bent. Some trot too short, and taking up their feet rapidly, appear to set them down almost in the same place. These are commonly bone-setters; but I have known, now and then, one of them perform fifteen miles in one hour. The utmost speed of an English trotter, (and I have reason to believe they excel all others) is a mile in about two minutes, fifty-seven seconds. Sixteen miles in one hour has been trotted sufficiently often, and with high weights; in my opinion, eighteen is upon the trotting cards. Perhaps ten miles might be performed in half an hour. The story of a gentleman's horse in Billiter-square, which trotted thirty miles in less than an hour and an half, to be found in Bewicke's quadrupeds, and in other publications, is, no doubt, the account of a capital performance, upon paper; but it is nonsense elsewhere. In Russia, Sweden, and Holland, they have fast trotters; and, I have heard, superior in speed to ours; but my informants were not jockies.

The canter, is an abbreviation of the gallop. The fore-legs should be put somewhat farther forward than in the trot, the knees handsomely bent, the horse reclining sufficiently upon his haunches. If he bend, his neck gracefully, rein well, and deal out his legs and feet, in an even, and elegant manner, there is no pace in which a horse appears with such grace and beauty. It is truly the ladies pace. In the canter, the near or left foot leads the way. The horse is brought into a canter, by pressing the right hand curb rein, and at the same time, lightly and frequently touching his left side with the spur. When perfect, he will take the pace easily, and without hesitation, on perceiving the accustomed hint, whatever that may be; and, in the same manner, will instantly stop, and sink into his walk, without boggling or danger.

This excellent, and most pleasant pace of the horse, from our general defective system of breaking, is not sufficiently attended to. Every colt, intended for the road or field, ought to be taught as handsome a canter, whilst in tackle, as his form will admit; instead of which, the few canterers we have, usually are to be taught that pace in

in their work; our four and five years old, too often coming up out of the country, as raw, and ignorant of their paces, as mountain goats.

The canter has been supposed incompatible with fast trotting, or at least an impediment to it, which is a vulgar error; the extent of the stroke, and degree of bending the knee, being nearly equal (with trotters) in both paces. Nor does the custom of cantering, at all add to the danger of a trotter's flying out of his pace, which is the consequence of unskilful riding; and, in that case, he goes into a gallop, not a canter. Occasional cantering is moreover a great relief to fast trotters, which are ever more shook and hurt, than any other description of horses.

Want of practice is the principal reason why horses will not canter long and steadily; yet there are certainly many which cannot be brought by any means to perform it well. Others again, from their natural shape and inclination, will canter away freely, nine or ten miles per hour, and continue it a whole stage. I have even known some, which would canter pleasantly fourteen miles within the hour. These may be properly stiled cantering hacks, and are very valuable. It is a pace to which all bred hacks ought to be accustomed, as they have seldom much expedition in their trot, and are the least liable to be shook by the hard road, in a canter.

It is unnecessary to say much of the gallop, in this place, it not being a pace calculated for road service. Common road hacks generally gallop too high, besides leaving their quarters too far behind them; some of them, nevertheless, free from those defects, have run twenty miles in one hour.

Having some small pretensions, as a trotting-jockey, the liberal reader will, I trust, grant me liberty to mount my hobby, and dilate awhile upon my favourite pace.—No arguments need be expended, in proving the trot to be the most useful of all the paces; the superior price of those horses, which excel at it, standing in good stead. Fast trotting too, is equally contributory to sport, as to business, and affords the amateur, or him who rides only for exercise sake, every day opportunities of gratification, which cannot so conveniently or frequently be obtained upon the turf.

I am ignorant how long it has been the fashion to cultivate this pace, since trotting matches have never been admitted into our racing annals, and all authors are silent upon the subject; but suppose it be a natural concomitant of our improvement in the breed of horses. Our mixed breed, or chapmens horses, are best calculated to excel in this way. Perhaps there never was an instance of a bred horse being a capital trotter, or of performing more than fourteen miles in one hour; or if such instances have been, they are so rare as not to affect the general principle. The reason of this inability in the racer, I apprehend, to consist chiefly in his too great pliability of sinew, which occasions him to outstride the limitted compass of the trot, and in the delicacy of his feet and joints, which will not permit him to endure the rude concussion of the hard road, inevitable in fast trotting.

A trotter, as well as a racer, "must have length somewhere;" it must not, however, exceed in the legs. Horses, in general, trot well, in proportion to the excellence of their shape, as I have already described it; and it scarce need be remarked, of what consequence it is for a trotter, on account of the severity of his service, to go clear of all his legs, and to have strong feet.

feet. But although an extensive counter shoulder is absolutely necessary to fast trotting, yet that extreme obliquity, or stant, so much in request for the racer, is not so to the trotter; or rather, perhaps, would be disadvantageous. There is a certain fixedness (so to speak) required in the trotting horse; he must not over-stride or out-lunge himself, for the instant he straightens his knee, (remark) he is beat.—He must also throw his haunches well in. If that natural rapidity, that wire-edge of speed, is not to be acquired, yet proper shapes will undoubtedly trot, and trotters are to be bred.

They are divided into fair and running trotters, of the latter (usually) speed is the best. I am a bungler at description, and can only say, that the runner is distinguished by a rolling motion, and does not bend his knees so much, or step out so far as the fair trotter. His pace, I conceive, to be somewhat similar to the racking of former days, already mentioned; it has also the appearance of being occasioned by hurts in the joints; and old battered trotters frequently become runners in their latter days. Or, after all, it may be occasioned by bad breaking, and suffering a confusion of the paces. Horses which jump and bound along like bucks, will never make trotters.

An idea prevails with many, that trotting horses are naturally stumblers, or at least dangerous to ride. It is totally unfounded. They are, perhaps, merely from their mode of going, among the safest; nor is there any peculiar danger in the most rapid trot, provided your hack be well shaped and sound. The notion has arisen from the miserably battered state of most horses of this description.

It may not be held unentertaining or unuseful, to such as are fond of the sport of trotting, if I dedicate a page or two to the memory of the chief of those horses which I have known to excel in this way. It is but just, that they should inherit their fair portion of that celebrity, which the page of equestrian annals confers on their elder brethren of the turf.

The renowned Blank, may be looked upon as the father of trotters, since from his bastard son, Old Shields, or Scott, the trotting stallion, have proceeded the best, and the greatest number of horses of that qualification: and to Shields and Useful Cub, the Isle of Ely, Cambridgeshire, and Norfolk, are in a great measure indebted for their fame, in the production of capital hacknies. Cub was got by a black cart-horse, out of a chapman's mare; of course his trotting stock have run too much upon the round shoulder and buttock, and have been more remarkable for their speed, than stoutness.

The fastest trotter, as I have good reason to suppose, which has ever been tried in England, was called Archer, from the name of the person who brought him to London; and from his having been bred in Norfolk, it is probable he was of the family of Old Shields. He was a bay gelding, full fifteen hands high, and master of fifteen stone. Being the property of Marsden, the dealer, who also possessed the old one-eyed black gelding, at that time supposed to be the speediest trotter in England, for one or two miles, they were tried together, and Archer proved to have the greatest speed, even for the shortest distance. I afterwards myself saw the black horse timed with the stop-watch, two miles, the last of which he performed considerably under three minutes. With respect to the other, the rapidity of his burst, in the course of a mile's trotting (which I have witnessed) was truly astonishing; and I cannot

conceive the rate of it could be below twenty-five miles per hour. It has been ſaid of late, that an old gelding, the property, I believe, of one Cartwright, which cut in the ſpeed, was as faſt as Archer, which I know from trials to be groundleſs, and that the old horſe had not ſpeed enough to trot along-ſide Archer a ſingle inſtant. This noble animal was ſottiſhly and cruelly murdered, about ten years ago, by being trotted over the road in a hard froſt. He performed ſixteen miles in fifty-four minutes and an half, carrying about eleven ſtone. The exceſſive ſhaking which he ſuffered, from the hardneſs of the road, brought a fever and inflammation upon his feet, which, with the aid of ſuppreſſed perſpiration, and improper treatment, ſoon killed him.

As Archer was the ſpeedieſt, the well-known brown mare, which died the property of Biſhop, proved herſelf the ſtouteſt, that is to ſay, the moſt laſting trotter in the world. This mare was full fifteen hands and an half high, with bone ſufficient to carry twenty ſtone; ſhewed ſome blood, with a mixture of the cart-breed, ſuch as we frequently ſee in farmers hacks. Her neck was ſhort, her fore-hand well elevated, her ſhoulder deep, and counter-form, but not very oblique; nor was ſhe proportionably deep in the girth. She had ſufficient general length, but was not long in the back, yet had plenty of room between her ribs and huggon-bones, with good fillets. Her quarters were amply ſpread, and ſhe ſtood well before. In her latter days ſhe was a daſhing goer, inclining to the run; but was never remarkable for ſpeed, nor ever able, as I underſtand, to trot the mile in three minutes.

In the year 1783, or thereabouts, ſhe trotted over the Epſom road, ſixteen miles in fifty-eight minutes and an half, carrying twelve ſtone, rode by Mr. Aldridge, who at preſent keeps the Repoſitory in St. Martin's-lane. This I ſaw, and it was then ſaid to be the firſt time that ſixteen miles in one hour, with twelve ſtone, had ever been trotted. In October 1791, being then eighteen years old, ſhe trotted on the Romford road, ſixteen miles in fifty-eight minutes, ſome odd ſeconds, with twelve ſtone, or thereabouts, beating Green's horſe for fifty pounds. It was probably, within her powers, to have trotted thirty miles in two hours; which diſtance was actually trotted, in two hours and ten minutes, by Ogden's cheſnut mare.

The brown mare died January 30, 1794. She had been nearly ſtarved by running the winter in a park near Hounſlow; and the morning ſhe was taken home dropped down dead as the boy was exerciſing her, after water. Very good portraits of the above two mares, may be ſeen in a monthly miſcellany, by no means unentertaining, called the Sporting Magazine.

A grey mare, called the lockſmith's mare, a running trotter, trotted ſeventy-two miles in ſix hours.

In 1793, Crocket's grey mare trotted one hundred miles in twelve hours, and had twenty minutes to ſpare.

A five-year old, ſon of young Pretender, (which Pretender was got by Hue-and-Cry, ſon of Old Shields, out of a bred daughter of Lord Abingdon's Pretender) I have been informed, trotted in 1792, in Lincolnſhire, ſixteen miles in fifty-nine minutes, carrying fifteen ſtone.

In April 1792, the yellow bay gelding, called Spider, and the old cheſnut gelding, then near thirty years of age, (above-mentioned in the name of Cartwright) trotted thirty

thirty-two miles in two hours, between Stilton and Cambridge, ridden by the same person, weight nearly ten stone. Spider trotted the first twenty-four miles in an hour and an half, bating a minute and half; and the old chesnut horse the remainder. It was said, that they could have performed thirty-four miles within the given time.

Spider was full fifteen hands, appeared three-parts bred, and by his long sour head, shewed like the family of Bay Malton. He knuckled very much before, and had been fired behind for a spavin, and sometimes could scarce rise when laid. It is remarkable, this horse had passed through the hands of several dealers, who never suspected his trotting, but called him a blood-horse. They also supposed him jinked in the back, from his lameness, on account of the spavin.—He died in 1793. He was by no means speedy.

(To be continued.)

NEW CRICKET CLUB IN WILTSHIRE—ACCIDENT, &c.

SALISBURY, AUGUST 29.

ON Monday last was begun to play on Stockton downs, near Deptford, for one hundred guineas, a match between eleven gentlemen of Salisbury and eleven of Stockton and its vicinity. The morning proving remarkable fine, a vast concourse of people from the neighbouring villages were assembled to be spectators of the sport; some rain, however, falling in the afternoon, prevented the termination of the match, when the odds were much in favour of the Stockton side. It was resolved that an entertainment should be furnished at Deptford Inn, at the expence of the losing party.—The company accordingly adjourned thither about five o'clock, where a very handsome dinner was served up, and much conviviality prevailed on celebrating an event so novel in the county of Wilts, as the institution of a club which promises to rival any of the adjacent counties.—The same match will be concluded on Monday next, when much sport is expected, as a considerable sum of money is depending on its issue. On the breaking up of the party, an accident happened, which nearly proved fatal in its consequences: the Honourable Mr. B—— undertaking to trot a very valuable horse for a wager against a curricle, in which were three other gentlemen returning to Salisbury, crossed them on the road, in order to secure to himself the advantage; in consequence of which the horses stopped short, and so great was the impulse given by the check the carriage received in the midst of its previous rotatory precipitation, that the most forward of the three was thrown with uncommon violence, in an horizontal direction, to the distance of nearly thirteen yards, over the horses heads; but, by the greatest good fortune, falling against the horse of Mr. B——, he received no other damage than a slight contusion of the hip, and such a temporary suspension of intellect as the greatness of the shock necessary occasioned.

A REMARKABLE WEDDING.

ON the 1st ult. the neighbourhood of Shoreditch was suddenly surprised by a considerable train of dustmen, &c. dressed in white jackets, who preceded a coach containing a bride, bridegroom, and bridesmaid, on their way to the church; the former of the same profession as the attendants. The ceremony being finished, upon the return of the coach, the

the boiſterous joy of the parties could no longer conceal itſelf.—What is called the rough muſic having been procured in the neighbourhood, the proceſſion returned towards Whitecroſs-ſtreet, amidſt the ſhouts, clamours, and aſtoniſhment of a vaſt number of ſpectators, whom the bride and bridegroom frequently addreſſed from the coach window to encourage them to go on with it.

When the vehicle arrived at the ſign of the Merry Carpenter, the precious load was depoſited in the tap-room, where, as the landlord refuſed to ſet all his gin cocks running for the conſideration offered him by the bridegroom, this feſtivous liquor was ſerved out by pints to the attendants, and a great number of friends and acquaintance there aſſembled. It being then propoſed to carry the bridegroom in ſtate round the yard of a neighbouring nightman, for whom he was occaſionally employed, a large tub uſed for emptying ſoil being cleaned out, and decorated with green boughs in lieu of a chair, he was hoiſted upon the ſhoulders of four men; but appeared to be too far gone in liquor to pay much attention to honours conferred upon him, or the loud congratulations of the multitude.

However, this new promenade was ſcarcely finiſhed, when a circumſtance occurred which inſtantly recalled the dormant attention of the bride; it ſeemed that ſome female at the public houſe where the new married lady was left, having imprudently beſtowed a name upon her, to which ſhe had been accuſtomed before ſhe was a wife, a furious battle enſued, which, however, had no worſe conſequences, than perfectly ſobering the lady; but as the bowl was ſoon after repleniſhed with more vigour than before, the bride and bridegroom were at length conveyed to their lodgings in a ſtate of perfect inſenſibility, and the neighbourhood happily relieved from a ſcene, the novelty of which was ſoon obliterated by the more diſguſtful circumſtances which attended its progreſs and concluſion. However, the inebriation of the happy pair, and a few ſelect friends, was continued for a week!

WONDERFUL ESCAPE OF A DOG, LOST IN ST. PAUL'S DOME, 1789.

WHEN preparations were making in St. Paul's to receive his Majeſty, on his intended viſit to return thanks for his recovery, a favourite bitch attended its maſter into the church, and followed him up the dark ſtairs of the dome.—Here, all at once, it was miſſing, and the maſter whiſtled and called a long time in vain.

Nine weeks after this circumſtance, all but two days, ſome glaziers were at work in St. Paul's, and heard among the timbers that ſupport the dome a faint noiſe; thinking it might be ſome unfortunate human being, they tied a rope round a boy, and let him down about the place whence the noiſe came. At the bottom he found a dog lying on its ſide, together with the ſkeleton of another dog, and an old ſhoe half eaten. The humanity of the boy led him to reſcue the animal from its miſerable ſituation, and it was accordingly drawn up.—As it was very much emaciated, and ſcarce able to ſtand, the workmen placed it in the porch of the church, to die or live, juſt as it might happen. This was about ten o'clock in the morning.

Some time after this, the dog was ſeen endeavouring to croſs over the ſtreet at the top of Ludgate-hill, but his weakneſs was ſo great, that, unſupported by a wall, he could not accompliſh his purpoſe.

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The miserable appearance and situation of the dog again excited the compassion of a boy; who readily lifted it over to the pavement on the other side of the street. It was then able, by the assistance of the houses, to get down to Fleet-market, and surmount two or three narrow crossings, till it reached Holborn-bridge; and about eight o'clock in the evening it reached its master's house, in Red Lion-street, Holborn, and laid itself down on the steps, having been ten hours on its journey from that place to St. Paul's.

It was so much altered in appearance, that the master could not recognize his old faithful companion. The eyes were sunk into its head, and scarcely could be discerned.—When it left its master, it was supposed to weigh twenty pounds; when it returned, the dog, or rather its skeleton, weighed only three pounds fourteen ounces. The first indication it gave of knowing its master was by wagging its tail on the mention of its name, Phillis. For a long time it was unable to eat or drink: and the mistress of the house used to feed it with a tea-spoon, till poor Phillis at length recovered.—What famine, and a thousand accidents could not do, was effected a short time after, by the wheels of a coach, which unfortunately went over her, and ended her mortal days.

It will be asked, how did this animal live near nine weeks without food?—This was not the case.—When she met with her fall, she was with young, and near the time of her littering. This circumstance certainly took place when she was in the dome of St. Paul's; but at the time of her deliverance, no vestige of any offspring remained; she must consequently have eaten them.

The remains of another dog were said to be found near her; this was supposed to be one less fortunate than herself, who was killed by the fall which Phillis had survived; she therefore converted him to the most urgent of all natural purposes.—When this treat was done, the shoe succeeded, which was almost half devoured.

Singular escapes of men are often related, and read with pleasure; and perhaps, to some of our readers, the escape even of a poor dog may not be altogether uninteresting.

A HUNTED DEVIL.

IS, Mr. Editor, a term as long standing, as well as the adage—"As sure as the devil is in London?" I however hope, that though he is mostly in the metropolis, the old fox is not at ease there. There are a set of sable-clad sportsmen, whom I am told are determined never to let him rest; an assertion, I think, best illustrated by the following extract from a sermon preached near St. George's fields, and taken in short hand—

"As sure as the devil is in London," is a proverbial saying in Shropshire, and I believe it may be true.—But my brethren, is he not pretty closely followed? Yes, yes; why it was nothing but my preaching that drove him from his old tabernacle at the Dog and Duck in St. George's-fields! Here it was, as Milton says, often on the verging deep he encamped his legions.—No, no! the devil does not like the looks of R——d H——l; if he should come up this way, I should fire upon him with this great gun (presenting a large bible); or should he run down to Wapping, why my brethren, we will catch him in the Mulbery gardens, and make him appear in his own shape, as *Ithariel* did

did in the garden of Eden. We will make him rue the day he attempted to come near Mr. B—n's meeting, at Whitechapel; and should he attempt to get into Tottenham Court-road, there we will bind him hand and foot for a thousand years.—If he is foolish enough to go into the Borough, there our brother S**h catches him; and I warrant you, should he venture at Bankside, A***g will drown him in the Thames.—Ah! my brethren, I would only wish him to go over London-bridge, and get into the Old Jewry, there he would be had as fast as Holofernes was nailed by Deborah, as the dear man there, stands ready to give him a warm reception.

"Are any of his children here to night? Nay, do not deny your father, the devil, to me; no, no, I know him too well; but if you have any regard for him, tell him to keep clear of St. Dunstan's, lest he should get another wrap of the nose with the gospel tongs; and be sure you bid him keep away from St. Bride's; St. Peter's, Cornhill; St. Antholin's, Watling-street; &c.

"For my part, I value him not, and that he knows.—He very well remembers my having given him many a drubbing.—Like a cunning old fox, he now keeps in his hole, and seldom ventures out when he thinks he shall be beset by such veterans as brother R***n, and me. All the Spital-fields weavers are ready in arms against him; and in Rosemary-lane, the old rag folks have quite dusted his coat. Mr. John's successors, he very well knows, always travel the country to ferret him out of all his holes there; but he will neither come this way, nor that way, till he fancies the coast is clear; but should he come in my neighbourhood, I will break that prop, to which the largest mast hewn on the Norwegian hills, appears but as a wand, and no more shall it support his uneasy steps over the burning marl."

CURIOUS CEREMONY OF RAISING AN APPARITION.

From Wraxall's Memoirs of the Court of Berlin.

THE Chevalier de Saxe, third in order of birth, among the natural sons of Augustus the Second, King of Poland, was only half brother to the famous Marshal Saxe, as they were by different mothers. In right of his wife, who was a Princess Lubomirska, of a very illustrious Polish family, the Chevalier inherited considerable property in that country, as well as in Saxony. He resided principally in Dresden, and died only a few years ago, at his palace in this city; which his nephew Prince Charles, who was his principal heir, occupied after his decease. In addition to his maternal estates, the Chevalier possessed a vast income from his military and other appointments in the Electorial service; and as he left no issue, he was supposed to have amassed great sums. Reports had been circulated, that money was concealed in the palace; but no one pretended to ascertain the precise place where it was deposited. If his spirit could be compelled to appear, that interesting secret might be extorted from him. Thus curiosity combining with avarice, or at least with the hope of discovering a considerable treasure, prompted Prince Charles to name his uncle, as the object of the experiment.

On the appointed night, (for Schrepfer, the magician, naturally preferred darkness, as better calculated for the effect of incantations) the company assembled. They were nineteen in number, of whom I personally

I personally know several, who are persons of consideration, character, and respectability. When they were met in the great gallery of the palace, the first object of all present was to secure the windows and doors, in order equally to prevent intrusion or deception.—They did so, and were satisfied that nothing except violence could procure entrance. Schrepfer then acquainted them, that the act which he was about to perform, would demand all their firmness; and advised them to fortify their nerves by partaking of a bowl of punch, which was placed upon the table. Several of them, indeed, as I believe, all except one or two, thinking the exhortation judicious, very readily followed it; but, the gentleman, from whom I received these particulars, declined the advice.—'I am come here,' said he to Schrepfer, 'to be present at raising an apparition. Either I will see all or nothing. My resolution is taken, and no inducement can make me put any thing within my lips.'

Another of the company, who preserved his presence of mind, placed himself close to the principal door, in order to watch if any one attempted to open or force it. These preparatory steps being taken, the great work began with the utmost solemnity.

"Schrepfer commenced it, by retiring into a corner of the gallery, where, kneeling down, with many mysterious ceremonies he invoked the spirits to appear, or rather to come to his aid; for it is allowed that none were ever visible. A very considerable time elapsed before they obeyed; during which interval, he laboured apparently under great agitation of body and mind, being covered with a violent sweat, and almost in convulsions, like the Pythonets of antiquity. At length, a loud clatter was heard at all the windows on the outside; which was soon followed by another noise, resembling more the effect produced by a number of wet fingers drawn over the edge of glasses, than any thing else to which it could be well compared. This sound, announced, as he said, the arrival of his good or protecting spirits, and seemed to encourage him to proceed. A short time afterwards a yelling was heard, of a frightful and unusual nature, which came, he declared, from the malignant spirits, whose presence, as it seems, was necessary and indispensible to the completion of the catastrophe.

"The company were now, at least the greater part, electrified with amazement, or petrified with horror; and of course fully prepared for every object which could be presented to them. Schrepfer continuing his invocations, the door suddenly opened with violence, and something that resembled a black ball or globe, rolled into the room. It was invested with smoke or cloud, in the midst of which appeared to be a human face, like the countenance of the Chevalier de Saxe; much in the same way, it would seem, that Corregio or Hannibal Carrache have represented Jupiter appearing to Semele. From this form issued a loud and angry voice, which exclaimed in German, 'Carl, was wolte du mit mich?' 'Charles, what wouldst thou with me? Why dost thou disturb me?'

"Language, as may be supposed, can ill describe the consternation produced among the spectators at such a sight. Either firmly persuaded that the appearance which they beheld, was spiritual and intangible; or deprived of resolution to approach and attempt to seize it; they appear to have made no effort to satisfy themselves of its incorporeal nature. The prince

prince, whose impious curiosity had summoned his uncle's ghost, and to whom, as the person principally responsible, the spectre addressed itself; far from manifesting coolness, or attempting reply, betrayed the strongest marks of horror and contrition. Throwing himself on his knees, he called on God for mercy; while others of the terrified party earnestly besought the magician to give the only remaining proof of his art for which they now were anxious, by dismissing the apparition. But, Schrepfer, though apparently willing, found, or pretended to find, this effort beyond his power.—However incredible, absurd, or ridiculous it may be thought, the persons who witnessed the scene, protest that near an hour elapsed, before, by the force of his invocations, the spectre could be compelled to disappear. Nay, when at length Schrepfer had succeeded in dismissing it; at the moment that the company began to resume a degree of serenity, the door, which had been closed, burst open again, and the same hideous form presented itself anew to their eyes. The most resolute and collected among them, were not proof to its second appearance, and a scene of universal dismay ensued. Schrepfer, however, by reiterated exertions, finally dismissed the apparition. The terrified spectators soon dispersed, overcome with amazement, and fully satisfied, as they well might be, of Schrepfer's supernatural powers."

AN APPARITION LAID.

AS an Appendage to the above, we conceive the following to be perfectly in character—

"In a village where I once resided, (says a grave author) there was a very great house, that had long been haunted by a spirit that turned itself into a thousand shapes and forms, but generally appeared in the figure of *a boiled scrag of mutton.*

"The laying of this spirit had baffled and defied the skill of all the learned men in the universities; but when one of my particular friends heard of it, he undertook to lay it, and even without his books, though he had several that had been in possession of Roger Bacon himself. It was done in this manner:

"He ordered some water to be put into a new kettle that had never been put upon a fire. When the water boiled, he pulled off his hat and shoes, and then took *seven* turnips, (the exact number of the signs of the Zodiac) and these turnips he pared with a knife whetted with a stone brought out of the Holy Land. When the turnips were boiled, he ordered some butter to be melted, in a bran span new saucepan, which was poured over the mashed turnips, without saying a word. Just as this was finished, I myself saw the ghost, in the form of a boiled scrag of mutton peep in at the door. I gave him item of it, and he immediately stuck his fork into him, sowsed him and the turnips over head and ears in a pewter dish, and eat both up."

I could not have believed this, if I had not seen it with my own eyes; and if you can believe me, when the ghost saw that he was nabbed, he begged very hard to be laid in the *Red Sea*; but it was to no purpose, for he was sent down the *Red Lane!*

SPIDER'S WEBS—A NEW BAROMETER.

A Brief statement of a French author's observations will, we think, not be foreign to the scope of your useful and instructive Magazine,

gazine, and reconcile its readers to an animal, which they hitherto held in abhorrence, or, at least, thought to be one of the most useless in the creation of God.

The spider, says Mr. Q. D'Isjonval, is a more unerring indicator of impending changes in the atmosphere than the best barometer.—These insects have two different ways of weaving their webs, by which we can know what weather we are to have. When the weather inclines to turn rainy or windy, they make the principal threads, which are the foundation, as it were, of their whole web, very short, and rather thick; whereas they spin them much longer, when fine and warm weather is to be expected. Thence it appears clearly, that the spiders have not only a near, but also a distant presentiment of the changes which are preparing in the air. The barometer foretells the state of the weather with certainty only for about twenty-four hours, whereas we may be sure that the weather will be fine twelve or fourteen days, when the spider makes the principal threads of its web long. It is obvious how important the consequences of this infallible indication of the state of the weather must be in many instances, particularly with regard to the operations of agriculture; for which reason it has been frequently lamented, that the best barometers, hydrometers, thermometers and eudiometers, are principally in the hands of the consumers, and very rarely in those of the planters of the harvest. How fortunate is it, therefore, that provident nature, amongst other gifts, also has bestowed upon the cultivator of the country such a cheap instrument, upon the sensibility and infallibility of which, with regard to the impending changes in the atmosphere he can rely! The barometers are frequently very fallible guides, particularly when they point to *settled fair*; whereas the work of the spider never fails to give the most certain information. This insect, which is one of the most economical animals, does not go to work, nor expends such a great length of threads, which it draws out of its body, before the most perfect equilibrium of all the constituent parts of the air indicates with certainty that this great expenditure will not be made in vain. Let the weather be ever so bad, we may conclude with certainty that it will not last long, and soon change for settled fair, when we see the spider repair the damages which his web has received.

PRODUCTIVE INDUSTRY—THE CHACE.

[*From Mr.* TOOKE's *View of the Russian Empire.*]

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"WHILE this was doing, others stood upon guard and watched us. If they saw any one coming at a distance, the whole troop combined at once, and began digging all together in the sand, till they had so fairly put a beaver or a sea-bear under the surface, that not a trace of it was to be seen. In the night-time, when we slept in the field, they came and pulled off our night-caps, and stole our gloves from under our heads, with the beaver coverings and the skins that we lay upon. In consequence of this we always slept with clubs in our hands, that if they should awake us we might drive them away, or knock them down.

"When we made a halt to rest by the way, they gathered around us and played a thousand tricks in our view, and when we sat still, they approached us so near that they

they gnawed the thongs of our ſhoes. If we laid down, as if intending to ſleep, they came and ſmelled at our noſes to try whether we were dead or alive; if we held our breath, they gave ſuch a tug to the noſe as if they would bite it off. On our firſt arrival, they bit off the noſes, the fingers, and toes of our dead, while we were preparing the grave, and thronged in ſuch manner about the infirm and the ſick, that it was with difficulty we could keep them off. Every morning we ſaw theſe audacious animals patrolling about among the ſea-lions and ſea bears lying on the ſtrand, ſmelling at ſuch as were aſleep, to diſcover whether ſome of them might not be dead; if that happened to be the caſe, they proceeded to diſſect him immediately, and preſently after all were at work in dragging the parts away: becauſe the ſea-lions of a night, in their ſleep, frequently overlay their young; they examine, as if conſcious of this circumſtance, every morning, the whole herd of them, one by one, and immediately drag away the dead cubs from their dams.

"Seeing now that they would not ſuffer us to be at reſt night nor day, we were in fact ſo exaſperated at them that we killed both young and old, and plagued them by every means we could deviſe.—When we awoke in the morning, there always lay two or three at at our feet that had been knocked on the head in the night; and I can ſafely affirm, that during my ſtay upon the iſland, above two hundred of theſe animals were ſlain by myſelf alone. The third day after my arrival I knocked down, within the ſpace of three hours, upwards of ſeventy of them with a club, and made a covering to my hut of their ſkins. They are ſo ravenous, that with one hand we could hold to them a piece of fleſh, and graſp a ſtick or an ax in the other to knock them on the head.

"When theſe buſy animals could not get hold on what they wanted, for example, the cloaths we occaſionally put off, they voided their excrements upon it, and then ſcarcely one of the reſt paſſed by without doing the ſame. From all circumſtances it was clear to us that they could never before have ſeen a human being, and that the dread of man is not innate in the brutes, but muſt be grounded on long experience.

"In October and November, they, like the foxes, were the moſt ſleek and full of hair. In January and February the growth of it is too thick; in April and May they begin to ſhed their coat; in June and July they had only the wool upon them, and looked as if they went in waiſtcoats. In June they drop their cubs, nine or ten at a brood, in holes and clefts of the rocks. They are ſo fond of their young, that to ſcare us away from them, they barked and yelled like dogs, and thereby betrayed their covert*. No ſooner do they perceive that their retreat is diſcovered, than, unleſs they be diſturbed, they drag away the young in their mouths, and try to conceal them in a more ſecret place. On killing the young, the dam follows the ſlayer with grievous howlings, day and night, for a hundred and more verſts, and never ceaſes till ſhe has played her enemy ſome trick, or is killed by him herſelf.

"They ſtink much more horridly than even the red fox.—In rutting time they run together day and night, biting each other from jealouſy like dogs. When they couple they make juſt ſuch a

* Hence probably come the Ruſſian appellation of the ice or rock-foxes: *peltzi*, from *peletz*, a puppy.

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ſcreaming as cats do. In ſtorms and heavy falls of ſnow they bury themſelves in the ſnow, and lie ſtill as long as it laſts. They ſwim acroſs rivers with great agility. Beſides what the ſea caſts up, or is deſtroyed by beaſts, they ſeize the ſea-fowl by night on the cliffs where they have ſettled to ſleep; but they themſelves are frequently victims to the birds of prey.

"These animals, which are now in ſuch inexpreſſible numbers on the iſland, probably were conveyed thither, ſince there is no other land-animal upon it, *from* the continent on the drift-ice; and, afterwards nouriſhed by the great quantity of animal ſubſtances thrown a-ſhore by the ſea, multiplied to ſuch an extraordinary degree."

To return from this digreſſion, if ſuch it may be called, which is ſo cloſely connected with our ſubject. This ſpecies is either entirely white or of a blueiſh colour, and their furs compoſe a conſiderable article of commerce. Though the voyages of the Ruſſian inhabitants of the coaſts of Spitſbergen and Novaya-Zemlia be moſtly for the purpoſe of catching the morſh and the robbe; yet, as they can only follow this buſineſs while the ſea is open, they uſually employ the reſt of the time, when they winter on theſe iſlands, in the chace, which here only extends to the white or polar bear, the ice-fox, rein deer, and eider-fowl.— The Samoyedes, likewiſe, enter into ſmall parties, who proceed together in winter acroſs the ice of Vaygat's ſtraights to the iſland, uninhabitable even to Samoyedes, of Novaya-Zemlia, where they principally hunt for bears and foxes. That they may not loſe their way in the fields of ſnow extending farther and wider than the eye can reach, through which they wander, they draw figures in the ſnow, of which every family has its own in uſe, that they may trace out each other and meet again. Their weapons are the bow and arrow, ſpears, ſnares, and traps; they alſo make uſe of a ſmall thick greyhound.— The voyages to the Ruſſian Archipelago in the Eaſtern ocean are indeed undertaken ſolely on account of the furs; but as here too the ice fox is not the main object, we will poſtpone the deſcription of that chace and branch of commerce to a fitter opportunity.

For ſmaller furriers and edgings, the ſkins of the martin, the ſquirrel, the ermine, the rabbit and the marmotte are the choiceſt. All theſe little animals are courſed with dogs by the boors who devote a part of their time to the chace, or caught in great numbers with traps and gins ſet before their burrows. The marten is not only found in Siberia, but in European Ruſſia, even about the Ladoga-lake and in Livonia; but thoſe in the government of Tobolſk are the fineſt as well as the moſt plentiful.—The blackeſt ſquirrels come from Yakutſk and Nertſchinſk; but they are likewiſe the ſmalleſt. The teleutan are famous for their ſize, and have alſo the beautiful ſilver-colour that renders them ſo valuable. The ſtriped ſquirrel is likewiſe very plenty in Siberia. This delicate little creature climbs the trees, and nimbly ſprings from bough to bough, but his winter-holes, and the magazines of proviſions always found with them, in which various kinds of ſeeds are collected, he makes in the earth, though on account of the moiſture of the ground not remarkably deep. Eaſy as it would be to catch theſe animals, and numerous as the fanciers which their beautiful ſtriped fur would enſure, yet none apply to the capture of them. In Ruſſia are ſeveral more little animals which deſerve notice in regard to their ſkin,

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he chace whereof has been hitherto entirely neglected. Among these, besides the striped squirrel, may be reckoned the gold-coloured weazel in which Siberia abounds; the suslik, the perevesка, and the spalax, which are seen in great numbers between the Don and the Dnieper; as is the very common and great foe to gardens, the mole, in the whole of north Russia. The striped or spotted skin of the squirrel, the suslik, and the perevesка suit the taste of the southern Europeans; the gold-coloured hair of the weazel is admired in Persia, and the skin of the spalax and mole might serve for ordinary furs. Hare-skins and cat-skins, however it may appear, form a considerable article of commerce, being worked up in Russia into hats, or exported for that purpose. In the year 1793, of the two kinds, 2113 sacks and 607,000 skins were shipped off, which in value amounted to 298,000 rubles. It would certainly have been better to have wrought this large quantity of raw materials in the country, as Russia imports annually a considerable number of hats.

To the other objects of the chace for furs must be added the bear, the wolf, the lynx, the glutton, the ferret, the polecat, &c. which generally speaking are spread over the whole of north Russia, and the prodigious quantities obtained of their skins are partly consumed at home and partly sent abroad. The bear is in many respects so useful an animal, and the manner of taking him in Russia so various and so ingenious, that our pains will be amply repaid in enlarging upon them.

The most usual way of killing the bear is with fire arms and with arrows. The Laplanders knock them down with clubs, as they can easily overtake them in running with their snow shoes; but they are generally first shot and then dispatched with spears. In some parts of Siberia the hunters erect a scaffold of several balks laid on each other, which fall altogether and crush the bear, on his stepping on the trap placed under it. Another method is, to dig pits, in which a smooth, solid, and very sharp pointed post is fixed into the ground, rising about a foot above the bottom. The pit is carefully covered over with sods; and across the track of the bear a thin rope with an elastic bug-bear is placed. As soon as the bear touches the rope, the wooden bug-bear starts loose, and the scared animal, endeavouring to save himself by flight, falls violently into the pit, and is killed by the pointed post.

If he escapes this snare, at a small distance, perhaps, several caltrops,* and other instruments of annoyance, await him, amongst which, a similar terrific log is erected, and where the persecuted beast, the more he strives to get free, fixes himself faster to the spot, where the blood-thirsty hunter lies in ambush for him.

(To be continued.)

* Irons with four spikes, so made, that which ever way they fall, one point always lies upwards, generally thrown in breaches or on bridges, to annoy an enemy's horse; also an instrument with three iron spikes, used in hunting the wolf.

THE GAMES AND PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS OF THE CHINESE.

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THE first and most esteemed game among the Chinese, is called *Ouay-ki*. It is a kind of war game, the object of which is to invest and conquer a country. They play

play with small stones flat and circular, of two colours, commonly black and white, to the number of eighty of each colour, placed upon a paper chess board, the coloured compartments of which cross each other. This game is so difficult that no person has been found who could play it with that perfection, of which it is capable. It would be too tedious and difficult to detail all its rules; but they may be found in a book printed in China, which has been brought to Europe by the late Dutch embassy to that nation. This game requires more silence and attention than that of chess, and is the favourite amusement of the learned, and men of the higher orders.

The second game is called *Tcheon-khie.* It is the real game of chess, introduced among the Chinese about four centuries since by one of their generals, and is so common among them that it is played at by the lowest of the people. They do not use figures of the same form as those made use of in Europe, but round pawns, such as Europeans play at draughts with, upon each of which the name of the piece is engraved: neither do they play upon a draught-board of two colours, but upon simple paper, with lines drawn across it in such a manner, that they place the pieces upon the angles where the lines cross each other. Those who are acquainted with both these ways of playing, prefer that of the Chinese to the European manner. The great conformity between the two ways of playing, is truly astonishing, because the Chinese general could not be acquainted with the European manner.

The third game is called *Ta quat-phay.* It exactly resembles our game of domino, and is played in the same manner.

Their game at cards follows next; it consists of thirty cards of three kinds. If there be but two players, one pack is sufficient; and when there are four or more, they put two or a greater number of packs together. This game is very easy to be learned, and is the amusement of the women and the common class of the people.

There are several other inferior games among the Chinese, but we shall leave them, to speak of their public theatres.

The people in general are very fond of these public amusements, which are carried on in all seasons, and even for whole days together. The inhabitants of each vicinity, enter into a common subscription for the payment of the expences of the entertainments. In general, the pieces performed are very tedious, and accompanied with music extremely piercing and noisy, being more agreeable to the spectators than finer harmony, and softer tones. But there are many companies of players who act in the houses of individuals in a more agreeable and superior manner.—And when the Chinese merchants make a party of pleasure for Europeans, these companies perform before them very agreeable pieces of the sentimental kind.

One of these plays, called *Chon-fou-hau,* had given so much pleasure to a gentleman of the Dutch embassy twenty years before, that he was induced to solicit its representation again, which request was granted, after much difficulty; for there were but few players to be found, who could recollect this ancient piece. It was acted in a superior style, and imparted as much pleasure as it had done before; and it was the opinion of the European part of the audience, that if it were translated into their language, by an elegant pen, it would give pleasure to every mind susceptible of fine sensations. The writers of the relation of the embassy, has given

given a particular account of each of the five acts of this play.—Though acted in a language he did not understand, the Chinese actors performed their parts with so much natural energy, that it was easy to comprehend the whole plot, which was very interesting, and excited much emotion.

EXPLICATION OF THE CHINESE GAME OF CHESS.

[*By the same Author.*]

IN China, the game is called *Tche-on-khie*; it was introduced into that country more than four hundred years ago, by a *tai-toeq*, or general of their troops, whose name was *Long-hin-tche-quam-tie-lie.*

This game is so common in China, that it was played by the *coulis* and the lowest class of people before he understood that they were playing at chess; as they did not make use of figures like those employed in Europe, but of round pawns like those we make use of for draughts, and on each of which the name of the piece is engraved.

The board is not of two colours, but consists of a simple paper, crossed by stripes, so that the pieces are placed on the points where the stripes meet. The number of pieces however is the same as in the European game, viz. sixteen pieces of each colour. There are only five pawns or soldiers, although there are eleven principal pieces.

These last are—a *taytocq*, or general; two mandarins, or counsellors; two elephants, two horses, two chariots, and two pieces of artillery.

The nine first of the eleven pieces just named, are placed in the outermost band of the board, one beside the other, the *taytocq* in the middle, a mandarin on each side, an elephant after each mandarin, a horse after each elephant, and a chariot at each end: the two pieces of artillery are put on the third row, before the two horses, and the five soldiers on the fourth line, corresponding to the *taytocq*, to the two elephants, and to the two chariots.

The board or field (camp) is separated by a river, the passage of which is only permitted to the horses, to the chariots, to the cannon, and the soldiers; while it is absolutely interdicted to the five other pieces. When the *taytocq* is made check-mate, the game is won.

The following is the march or movement of the pieces:

The *taytocq*, or general, who can never make more than one square at once of the board, may advance or retire, or go in any direction, provided he never quits the nine compartments next to him, and which, for that reason, are marked with a different shade from the rest of the board.

The mandarins or counsellors can only go from one square to that which is next, but only diagonally; and, like the general, they cannot go out of the nine compartments which serve him for limits.

The elephants march diagonally, by leaping over a compartment or square, but they are not to cross the river.

The horses have exactly the same march as the knights in the European game. But if the adversary puts one of his pawns by the side of a horse, he has, according to the sense of the Chinese word, *his feet tied.* Then he cannot take the piece which made him check, although he may place himself any where else; he also passes the river.

The chariots have the same march as the castles or towers in the European game. They pass the river.

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The cannon march like the chariots next to them, in front and in rear. They may pass over any of the compartments, and may go over the river. But one cannon cannot take another piece, unless there be on the same line with it, another piece in front of that which they design it to take. So that the movement of the cannon or piece of artillery, is that of a body which is projected like a bomb-shell.

In the beginning, the soldiers or pawns can only make one square forwards, and can only take in this direction, and not obliquely, as in the European game. But when they are on the other side of the river, they may take in front and sideways, yet so as not to go back; the pawn brought to the last band of the adversary, is changed to a piece already taken, at the option of the party who has conducted his pawn so far.

Such are the rules and the process of this game among the Chinese.

PEDIGREE AND PERFORMANCES OF MATCHEM.

HE was bred by John Holmes, Esq. of Carlisle, Cumberland, and foaled in 1748; and was purchased of him by the late Wm. Fenwick, Esq. of Bywell, in whose possession he remained, till death put a period to his existence, on the 21st of February, 1781, at Bywell, Hexham, Northumberland.

Got by Cade, dam (Changeling's dam) by Croft's partner, gr. (Mr. Vane's Little Partner's gr.) by Makeless, Brimmer, Place's White Turk, (Trumpet's dam) Dodsworth, Layton Barb mare. He was full brother to Yeade, and his dam was full sister to the dams of Dormouse, Torrismond, Madam, &c. &c.

In 1753, Matchem won the great subscription of 160l. 5s. for five yrs old, 10st. each, four miles, beating Barforth, Billy, and Bold. 50l. for five yr olds, at Morpeth, beating Mr. Shaftoe's Blameless, by Forester.

In 1754, Matchem recd. a 20l. premium, and won the free plate of 126gs. carrying 10st. beating, at two smart four-mile heats, Mr. Thornton's bay horse Sedbury, five yrs old, 9st.

He also won the ladies 80l. at Lincoln, beating, at two heats, D. of Ancaster's Martin, and Mr. Smith's Skim, and walked over for 50l. at Morpeth.

In 1755, at Newmarket, in April, Matchem won 50l. for six yr olds, and aged, B. C. beating Mr. Bowles's Trajan, and distanced two others. He won this race very easy; but it was said Trajan ran faster up the Chalk Jade than Matchem, but could not maintain it. They ran the heat in seven minutes and twenty seconds, 8st. 7lb. each—6 to 4 on Matchem, and large sums lost on the contest. The friends of Trajan were not satisfied that Matchem was the best horse, from the very indifferent condition of Trajan, who was only taken from grass the December before, and had had but one sweat during the whole winter; and when he came to Newmarket, was injudiciously hurried, with the strongest exercise, to prepare him for running. On this, Mr. Fenwick offered to run Matchem against any horse in England, which was accepted by Mr. Bowle's, to run Trajan against him at the Newmarket spring meeting following.

In August, Matchem recd. 20l. not to start at York.

In 1756, Matchem beat Trajan, 10st. each, B. C. for 400gs. and the whip. At starting, two to one on Matchem; over the flat, five to one on Trajan; but at the turn of the lands, 100 to one on Matchem, who then made his run; and it was

was observed, that Mr. Singleton, who rode him, judged perfectly right in laying behind, and fretting Trajan, till he had got him out; and although Trajan had the lead on the flat, to maintain it, he was obliged to be flogged very hard.

He also won 60gs. at Newcastle, at two heats, beating Mr. Swinburne's Drawcanser, and Mr. Parker's Full Moon.

In 1758, Matchem won 50l. weight for age, at Scarborough, beating, at two heats, Mr. Jolliffe's Foxhunter, and Mr. Harvey's Sweet Lips—ten to one, and after the first heat, twenty to one on Matchem.

He only was beat twice; the first time was at Newmarket second spring meeting, 1756, where he started for the jockey club plate, and was beat by Spectator and Brilliant; Matchem being only three times third. The odds for the first heat, (run in seven minutes fifty-two seconds and an half) four to one against Brilliant, three to one against Whistlejacket, and two to one agst Matchem; Sweepstakes and Crab also started. The odds for the second heat, (run in seven minutes forty seconds) three to one against Brilliant, four to one against Spectator, and Matchem scarce named. Odds for the third heat, (run in eight minutes five seconds) two to one on Spectator, and six to one against Whistlejacket, who made good running, and was second the last heat.

The second time he was beat was at Newmarket second spring meeting 1758. Matchem again started for the jockey club plate, and was second to Mr. Greville's Merza; Sir J. Lowther's Jason third, Mr. Panton's Feather fourth, and Mr. Vernon's Forester fifth. Even betting against Feather, six to four against Jason, six to one against Merza, and ten to one against Matchem. Though Merza gained great advantage at starting, which he kept above three miles, Matchem ran an excellent honest horse, and was beat with great difficulty; and as large sums were depending between Matchem, Jason, and Feather, it was observed "That the friends of poor old Matchem not only combed the *golden fleece*, but dressed the *feathers* very handsomely." This was the thirteenth time of Mirza's running, and was never beat.

Matchem left a great many favourite sons and daughters, amongst them many capital ones, viz. Alfred, Purity, Phlegon, Pantaloon, Turf, Chymist, Conundrum, Protector, Ranthos, Espersykes, Petrarch, Atalanta, Maiden, Miss Skeggs, Mopsqueezer, Pumpkin, Conductor, Calypso, Miss Cornforth, Amphion, Dux, Dictator, Priestess, North Star, Goldfinch, Miss Nightingale, Magog, Magnum Bonum, Phœnix, Cannibal, Sod, Hollandoise, Rarity, Giantess, Milliner, Johnny, (the last of which won fifteen times at Newmarket, in 1775) the dam of of Diamond, Screveton, Stickler, &c. &c. &c.

PEDIGREE AND PERFORMANCES OF YOUNG MARSKE.

HE was bred by Edward Cross, Esq. and foaled in 1771; got by Marske, his dam by Blank, her dam Bay Starling, by the Bolton Starling, out of Miss Meynell, by Partner, Greyhound, Curwen's bay Barb, Ld D'Arcy's Arabian, Whiteshirt, old Montague mare.—His dam also bred Juniper, Clio, All Fours, &c. &c.

In 1775, at Newmarket first spring meeting, Young Marske won a sweepstakes of 500gs, B. C. beating Mr. Shaftoe's chesnut colt by Matchem; Young Marske dislocated a fetlock joint when they had about

about a quarter of a mile to run, and won in that condition, but was never able to ſtart again.

Seven hundred and fifty guineas were offered for Young Marſke a few days before running; and after he was lamed, it was ſaid eight hundred guineas were offered for him, but refuſed, to go into Ireland as a ſtallion. He was purchaſed by the late James Hutton, Eſq. of Aldbrough, near Maſham, Yorkſhire, and covered there ever ſince he was in his poſſeſſion, and is yet alive. He is ſire of Ruler, Fortitude, Moorpont, Harlequin Junior, Omen, Young Tuberoſe, Counteſſina, Abba Thulle, Spanker, Shuttle, Weaver, Marſkewell, Maſquerade, Lopcatcher, Canon, Cymon, Merrylaſs, Penelope, Sharper, Lilliputian, &c. &c.

PEDIGREE AND PERFORMANCES OF RULER.

HE was bred by the late William Bethell, Eſq. of Riſe, Holderneſs, Yorkſhire, and foaled in 1777; got by Young Marſke; his dam, Flora, by Lofty; her dam, Riot, by Regulus, Blaze, Fox, Darley's Arabian; Flora alſo bred Miſs Holderneſs, Ringwood, Rattler, &c. &c.

In 1780, at Humanby, Ruler won a ſtakes of 25gs each, for three yr old colts, 8ſt. fillies 7ſt. 12lb. two miles, eight ſubſcribers, beating four others.

At Doncaſter, he won the St. Leger ſtakes of 25gs each, for three yr old colts, 8ſt. fillies, 7ſt. 12lb. two miles, ſeventeen ſubſcribers, beating Zodiac, and five others.

In 1782, at Humanby, Ruler won 50l. for all ages, four miles, beating Laura and Junior.

In York Auguſt meeting, in running for the great ſubſcription for four yr. olds, againſt Thornville, Laura, and Regent, he broke down, when the odds were greatly in his favour.

He was put out of training, and has covered ſince at Middleham, in Yorkſhire, at 5gs. a mare, and 5s the groom, and is ſire of Weathercock, Pencil, Phalanx, Guide, Sober Robin, Governor, High Eagle, &c. &c. and many of the moſt capital hunters in the kingdom.

A THEATRICAL FAC-TOTUM.

AN itinerant player, well known in moſt provincial companies by the name of Buſtling Burchett, performed for his benefit this ſummer at Deal, Foriſmond and Gomez, in the Spaniſh Fryer: between the acts he delivered a lecture upom Mimicry, played a ſolo on the violin, ſung Dibdin's Lamplighter, and danced a hornpipe.—At the end of the play he recited Collins's Ode on the Paſſions, played Shift, Smirk, and Mother Cole in the entertainment, and concluded with a poetical addreſs to the audience.

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Remarks on the Formation of the Feathered Race.

NATURE has charms which attract the eyes of every beholder!—In every part, beauty, inſtruction, and entertainment, are conſpicuous; but no part of nature affords a more pleaſing entertainment than that of birds; the ſtructure of their neſts, and the care of their young call, aloud for our attention. It is impoſſible, in ſuch inſtances, to miſtake the impreſſion of the Creator, which anticipates all leſſons, and corrects education itſelf. If we conſider the ſtructure and flight of birds, we ſhall find

find these also the work of infinite wisdom.

The body of a bird is neither extremely massive, nor equally substantial in all its parts, but it is well disposed for flight, sharp before, and gradually increasing in bulk, till it has acquired its just dimensions. Such a structure renders it more adapted to cut the air, and make itself a passage through that element.

To qualify it for long flights, in which provisions are not always to be obtained; and to enable it to pass away many hours of winter nights without eating, nature has supplied it, under the throat, with a bag, called the crop, in which it receives its meat. The fluid in which this swims, facilitates its first digestion: the gizzard, into which no more than a very small quantity of nourishment enters at one time, performs the rest; and frequently, by the aid of such little ragged stones, which the bird swallows, in order to break the texture of nutriment better, and perhaps to keep the passages clear.

The bones of birds, though of a solidity sufficient to sustain the system of their body, are nevertheless so hollow and diminitive, that they scarce make any addition to the weight of the flesh.

The whole plumage is artfully formed, and distributed as well to sustain the bird, as to defend it from the injuries of the air. The quill of the feather is at the same time firm and light; it is firm, in order to cleave the air with a proper force—it is light and hollow in proportion to the growth, that the bird may not be pressed downwards, instead of being raised aloft.

In a word, this hollow quill, (or we may rather represent it as filled with a body of air more dilated and lighter than the external parts of that element) possesses a great deal of surface, with little gravity, which places the bird almost in equilibrium with the air. The feathers are inverted behind, and laid one over another in a regular order. That part of them which is next the body, is furnished with a warm and soft down; and that next the air is arrayed with a double beard, in two ranks, and longer at one end than the other. These beards are a row of laminæ, or little flat and thin plates, disposed and inserted in a line, as perfect as if their extremities had been cut with a pair of sciffars. Each of these laminæ is in itself a quill, or basis, which sustains two new ranks of a minuteness that almost renders them invisible, and which exactly close up all the little intervals through which the air might be insinuated. The feathers are likewise disposed in such a manner that the range of the little beards on the one, slides, plays, and discovers itself more or less, under the great beards of the other feather that lies over it. A new rank of lesser feathers serves as a covering to the quills of the larger. The air is excluded from every part, by which means the impulse of the feathers on that fluid becomes very strong and efficacious.

But as this economy, so necessary to its constitution, might be frequently incommoded by rains, the Author of Nature has furnished birds with an expedient that renders their feathers impenetrable to the water. All birds have a bag filled with oil, and shaped like a nipple, the situation of which is at the extremity of their body. This nipple has several apertures, and when the bird finds her feathers dry, soiled, discontinued by gaps, or ready to be moistened, she presses this nipple with her bill, and forces out an oil or fat humour, reserved in the glands; and then drawing her bill over the greatest part of her

her feathers successively, oils and dresses them, gives them a lustre, and fills up all the vacancies with this viscous matter; after which, the water only slides over the bird, finding all the avenues to the flesh perfectly closed.

Poultry, who live under a covert, have a less quantity of this liquor, than birds who inhabit the open air; for which reason a hen, when she is wet, makes a very poor figure.

On the contrary, swans, geese, ducks, moor-hens, and all birds destined to live on the water, have their feathers dressed with oil from their very birth; their magazine contains a provision of this fluid, proportionable to the necessity of its consumption, which is continually returning: their very flesh contracts a flavour of it, and every one may observe, that the care of oiling their feathers is their constant employment.

If there is so much wisdom in the structure of their feathers, there is no less in the play of the wings and tail, in order to traverse the air. Nothing can be better placed than the wings; they form on each side two levers, which keep the body in a just poise, and at the same time they perform the function of oars, which, by bearing on the element that resists them, advance the body in a contrary direction.

The tail is a counterpoise to the head and neck, and serves the bird instead of a rudder, whilst she rows with her wings; but this rudder is not only instrumental in preserving the equilibrium of the flight, it likewise enables the bird to rise, descend, or alter her direction; for as soon as the tail is directed to one point, the head turns to the opposite quarter.

Common observers are often surprised at the great variety in the wings, bills, claws, and every other part of birds. But, on a more close inspection, we shall find that the bill, the talons, and generally all the parts of their bodies, are calculated for the accommodation of their wants. They are a set of implements, proportioned to the nature of their labour and manner of life. A few instances will be sufficient to justify this assertion.— Sparrows, and the generality of small birds, are supported by the little grains they find either about our houses, or the country. They have no effort to make, in order to obtain their food, or break it in pieces, and therefore have a small bill; their necks and legs are very short, and suffice their purpose. But the case is different with respect to the woodcock, the snipe, the curlew, and a variety of other birds, who seek their aliment very deep in the earth, and in slime, from whence they draw the little shell-fish and worms that sustain them. Nature has supplied these creatures with a very long neck and bill; and with these instruments they dig, search, and want for nothing.

The woodpecker, who lives in a very different manner, is therefore different in the structure of his body. His bill is very long, and of an extraordinary strength and solidity; his tongue is sharp, extremely long, and besides that, it is armed with little points, and always covered with a kind of glue towards the extremity. He has short legs, two talons before, and as many behind, and all very crooked. All this equipage relates to his manner of living and obtaining his prey. This bird derives his subsistence from little worms or insects who live in certain branches, and most commonly under the bark of old wood. It is very common to find the retreat of these minute animals sunk very deep in large billets, under the bark, which easily peels off. The woodpecker should be provided with hooked claws, in order to grasp the

branches

branches where he fastens. Long legs would be useless to him, for his attainment of what lies under the bark; but a strong pointed bill was necessary for him to find out, by darting it up and down the branches, what places are void and rotten. He stops where the branch sounds hollow, and, with his bill, shatters the bark and wood; after which, he injects his tongue into the orifice he has made, and sends forth a loud cry, or a kind of whistling sound, into the cavity of the tree, in order to alarm the insects who sleep there, and put them in motion. He then darts his tongue into the aperture, and, by the assistance of the small points which rise out of his tongue, and the glutinous matter which rolls over it, he draws out all the little animals he finds there, and regales himself with the prey.

The heron, quite contrary to the woodpecker, is mounted aloft; his legs and thighs are very long, and entirely destitute of plumage; he has a great length of neck, and an enormous bill, very sharp, and jagged at the extremity. What reason can be assigned for a figure, which at first sight seems so extravagant? The heron feeds on frogs and little shell fish, as well as other fish he finds in fens, bogs, or near the shores of rivers and the sea. He wants no feathers on his thighs, to enable him to march through the water and slime, but very long legs are exceeding useful to him, as they qualify him for running more or less, in the water along the shores, whither the fish usually resort for their food. A long neck and bill make him capable of pursuing and seizing the prey, at a considerable distance; the crooked turns and jags of his bill, that bend like hooks, enable him to detain the fish that would otherwise slide away, and escape him. In a word, his large wings, which may seem incommodious to an animal of so small a body as the heron, are infinitely assistant to him, in making great movements in the air, and conveying weighty burthens to his nest, which is seated one or two leagues from the place where he fishes.

What we have observed of the heron, is applicable to several other species which resemble him.

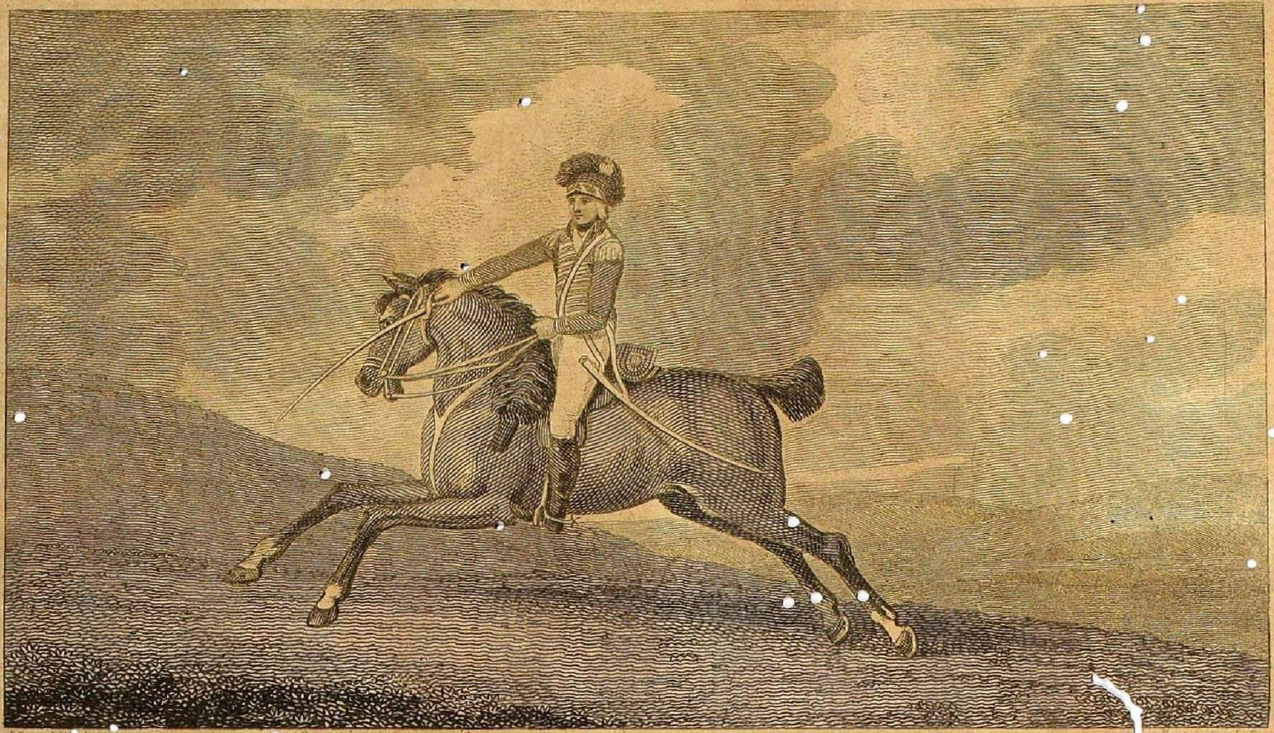
From what has been said, we may be convinced, that the imperfections we think are to be found in the bills, legs, &c. of birds, belong to ourselves; and all our censures of nature are, in truth, only so many confessions of our own ignorance. J. J. B.

Dover, August 13th.

SINGULAR INSTANCE OF SAGACITY IN A DOG.

A Gentleman of Suffolk being on a journey with his friend, and a Newfoundland dog, who was of the party, being the subject of their conversation, asserted, that he would fetch any thing he was ordered, from any distance. To prove this, a marked shilling was put undar a large square stone on the side of the road, and the gentleman, accompanied by the dog, rode forward for three miles, when the dog's master ordered him to go back and fetch the shilling he had seen him put under the stone. The dog turned back, and the gentlemen rode forward, and got home; but, contrary to their expectations, the quadruped did not return for the whole day.

It appeared afterwards, that he had gone to the place where the shilling was deposited, but the stone being too large for his strength, he had staid howling at the place, till two horsemen riding by, attracted by his seeming distress, stopped to look at him, and one of them alighted and removed the stone, when finding the shilling, he put it into



Howitt del. Scott sculp.

Sword Exercise. Cut 4.

into his pocket, not conceiving the dog could be feeking for that. The dog followed their horfes for upwards of twenty miles, ftaid in the room where they fupped, followed the chamber-maid into the bed-room, and hid himfelf under one of the beds.

The poffeffor of the fhilling hung his breeches upon a nail by the bed-fide; but when they were both afleep, the dog got them off the nail, and the window being open, leaped out of it, with the breeches in his mouth, and dragged them through bog and quagmire, over ditch and through hedge, until four o'clock, when he arrived at his mafter's houfe. In the pockets were found feveral guineas, a watch, and the marked fhilling. The watch being advertifed, was returned, and the money with it, but the thief was not indicted.

CAVALRY SWORD EXERCISE.
CUT 4.

THE copper-plate engraving, above-named, is to face this page.—Nothing further, in relation thereto, will here be added, only, that in difpofing of the engravings for the prefent month, we find this the fitteft place for it; as the print of Diamond is intended as the firft plate, and as a frontifpiece to the volume.

TRIAL OF MAJOR ARMSTRONG.

(*Continued from page 270.*)

IN our laft magazine we gave the early evidence on the trial of Major Armftrong, and we meant to have followed it up with the remainder in detail; but on looking over the copy, its extreme length compels us to publifh only fuch parts as will enable our readers to judge of the origin, progrefs, and iffue of the profecution.

After the evidence for the profecution was gone through, the court having allowed Major Armftrong an hour, in which to arrange his defence, he returned into court, and gave his defence to the following effect:

Mr. Prefident, and Gentlemen of the Court,

I am ftanding before you arraigned of crimes fo atrocious, that were I really guilty, I fhould appeal to your humanity to eafe me of my exiftence, which fuch guilt would render infupportable; but I come here arrayed in the full confcioufnefs of innocence, firmly perfuaded that there is no character which is fo unfullied that it may not be attacked; and well convinced that no contrivance whatever, no art, nor any malice can be fo refined, as to reach that honour which is fairly committed to your care and protection.—Impreffed with the indignant feelings which have been roufed by fuch bafe accufations, it is a folacing fatisfaction that I am at length brought before a tribunal of honourable men. Gentlemen, I hope from your fympathy to be allowed a few minutes attention to the fituation which perfonally regards me in refpect of this trial, previous to my entering on the *merits of the cafe.*

Captain Wilfon's addrefs to the court, his admiffions and the letters to which he has referred, will convince you that it is only after many months have elapfed, that I have been brought forward to anfwer to charges the moft capital; in the interim I have done every thing which a man of honour could do, have courted, folicited, and provoked an inveftigation of my conduct; and although Captain Wilfon allowed himfelf very extenfive liberties in reflecting on my conduct, yet

yet has he shrunk from the open enquiry, which perhaps, he supposed, would expose him to the infamy, which must ever attach to an individual who prefers a groundless charge. Had I felt, that there could be the slightest foundation for even suspicion of the turpitude with which I am charged, I would have buried my disgrace on the shores of Flanders, and should not have pressed his Royal Highness the Commander in Chief to grant me a court martial. I have here, gentlemen, Colonel Brownrigg's official letter, in answer to my solicitations on this subject—it is as follows:

Horse Guards, 22*d Dec.* 1798.

SIR,

I have had the honour to lay your letter of the 29th instant before the Commander in Chief; and I have it in command to acquaint you, that as the circumstances you state, has never made any part of the official details of the service performed at Ostend, by the force under the command of Major-General Coote, his Royal Highness considers an investigation of your conduct (which remains unimpeached) perfectly unnecessary. I have the honour to be, Sir, your most obedient humble servant,

ROBERT BROWNRIGG.

Major Armstrong, 11*th Regt. of Foot.*

When this answer was given, gentlemen, six months had elapsed since the general's returns of that expedition had been given in; and it would be indelicate in me to imagine that they should not then know, that a field officer had quitted his regiment, post, or division, without leave of his superior officer, or misbehaved himself before the enemy, by shamefully abandoning his post; and, if they did know it, I do not hesitate to say, it was equally criminal not to bring him before the proper tribunal, that if the charge were false, he might have an opportunity of defending himself; if true, that his punishment should rescue the rest of the British troops from being implicated in his individual cowardice. This is at all times not only reasonable, but it is just, and must be absolutely necessary in any case which requires the justification of a failure; but I shall rest my defence on more solid and incontrovertible grounds. I consider, gentlemen, the foulness of the crimes with which I stand charged, as a direct species of military treason; and they are guilty of a misprision of it, who, averring that they witnessed my guilt on the 20th of May, 1798, should have suffered me, for upwards of a year, to disgrace the service which I should have been unworthy to continue in were I really guilty. Had I indeed, betrayed my king, disgraced my country, or dishonoured myself in the manner which Captain Wilson has charged me, he certainly has injured the service, and insulted his king, by deferring to communicate his knowledge of my crime to those, whose duty it was to bring me to trial; yet, has he averred that he should not have preferred the charges against me, but from the compulsive interference of his own corps. The charges which had been made in private, they, like men of honour, expected should be supported in public; for this, I have to return my warmest acknowledgements to the officers of his corps, who, he says, have been the cause of my appearing before this tribunal, and I have to allow some thanks to Capt. Wilson, for the reasons he has given for preferring the charges against me.

But, I cannot have to thank him, gentlemen, for having kept back the charges for a number of months, while he knew I waited in town to court and provoke this enquiry. I owe

owe him no gratitude for the anxieties and alarms he has caused to my family, by the reports he has circulated respecting me.

He was no sooner apprised of my having quitted London, with my wife and five children, to have the benefit of sea-water, which had been judged necessary to their health, than he immediately preferred his charges against me, and an express overtook me at Bristol, recalling me to town, as a prisoner, to defend my conduct against Capt. Wilson's charges. I obeyed without the least hesitation, and instantly left my wife and children unprotected, at an inn at Bristol, waiting my return with the most solicitous and anxious uncertainty.

Gentlemen, into your hands do I commit my life, and, what is still more dear to me, my honour. My ancestry have faithfully and uniformly been in the service of his Majesty's family, since its first accession to the throne of England; I have borne a commission in it upwards of twenty years, and never upon half-pay. I lost at Guadaloupe, in the present war, a beloved and respected brother, Major T. Armstrong, of the 8th regiment of foot, and three nephews.

It would be unnecessary to remind you, that I am to await your judgment upon two several articles of war:

The first of them, which is the 8th article of the 14th section, is merely discretionary; the other, which is the 20th article of the 14th section, the punishment shall be death, or such other as the court shall award; before I enter upon the evidence, which has been brought forward against me, I beg leave to offer a single observation upon the first of these charges: it is remarkable, that although the article of war upon which the prosecutor will have the first charge to bear, rests the guilt of quitting one's platoon or division, upon one of two alternatives, either without urgent necessity, or without leave of the superior officer; yet has the prosecutor wholly omitted the first condition of which any witness to the circumstances of the action might judge, and only insists upon the second, which might not be within the knowledge of any third person. I admit that on the 20th of May, 1798, I did quit my post; but as it was not without urgent necessity, I do insist upon it, that I was not guilty of any breach of the 8th article of the 14th section of the articles of war. It would be useless, gentlemen, nay impertinent, to tell you, that it was the duty of a field or superior officer, to endeavour to rally his men when they gave way. But I shall avail myself of the opinion given to you by General Coote in his evidence, and infer that the performance of that very duty is a matter of urgent necessity. I wish you, gentlemen, to take nothing upon credit, but I mean to prove, by undeniable evidence, that I not only endeavoured to rally the men of the 11th regiment, who were retreating in confusion, but that in less than three minutes I did actually succeed in rallying them. I have said thus much upon the first charge, because in some measure it is connected with the second. But not the smallest particle of evidence is produced in support of the first charge, that calls for any observation, or needs to be contradicted; I shall therefore proceed to consider the evidence brought against me on the second, which indeed is a capital charge.

The prosecutor, though he had nothing to offer in support of his first charge, yet has ventured to give some evidence, such as it is, upon the second; upon this circumstance, gentlemen, I must beg to recall your attention to the

profecutor's own affertions, of his being fo reluctantly forced to prefer thefe charges againft me, and I put this fimple queftion; what duty calls upon a private officer to charge another with criminal facts not within his own knowledge? And it has turned out, that they were not within the knowledge of any other, for they never exifted.

Gentlemen, I am now come to the crifis in which I am to be judged; not by the wifhes or the intended imputations of the words in the charges, but by the evidence given upon oath before you in fupport of them, and under all the circumftances of the cafe, you will naturally conclude, that if any perfon can fpeak with effect to this charge, it will be the profecutor himfelf; that man, whofe nice feelings of honour have been fo hurt by the want of fpirit in a brother officer; that man, whofe penetration and difcernment could difcover the fources and caufes of our failures and loffes, which had efcaped the obfervation and all fubfequent enquiries and informations of the commanding officer; that man, whofe zeal for the fervice brought him forward, to fill the ungracious poft of a profecutor for crimes, charged to have been committed in the eyes of hundreds, and in the face of the enemy; a poft which my profecutor tells you he expected others to have occupied, and which I will add, if the facts had exifted elfewhere than in my profecutor's mind, it would have been their tranfcendant duty to have occupied, and not have abandoned to him.

I am accufed by the fecond charge of having mifbehaved myfelf before the enemy, by fhamefully abandoning my poft. And yet, my very profecutor has, upon oath, moft explicitly difowned any knowledge whatfoever of the poft I was ordered to, and confequently which he muft have feen me abandon, in order to prove me guilty of the fecond charge. Gentlemen, I hold myfelf not at liberty to encroach upon your time and patience, and fhall not therefore attempt to difprove, fince you have heard General Coote's orders, the pitifully invidious portrait the profecutor has attempted to draw of me, crouching under the fhelter of the parapet, which he thought my poft. But his evidence deftroys itfelf; for in order to prove cowardice upon me, he fays, (and he fays truly) that I quitted my pofition of fecurity, and as the brave are ever modeft, he blufhed to fay I ran from my poft. I blufh not to fay, that I did run from my poft, but I did it from urgent neceffity, and to fulfil what General Coote has here faid was my duty to attempt, and which he here admits he fhould have been better pleafed to have feen. I cannot pretend to account for what the general did, or did not fee, or forfee, on that day. You have his evidence upon oath, that he did not fee me at any time during the action; and yet I fhall prove, by feveral witneffes, that I received and executed orders from him during the courfe of the action; that within a very few yards of him I actually rallied the men of the 11th, who were thrown into confufion, and having done fo, I encouraged them to charge, and that I was at my poft with my men, within fifteen yards in front of the general when he was wounded, and from that time till we were ordered to furrender.

" Gentlemen, the General who has been called upon by the profecutor to fupport both the charges, has expreffed to you the delicacy of his fituation, and you have obferved the embarraffment under which he gave his evidence. But fuch as he has given, I muft avail myfelf of it, and call upon you, with

with whom my life and honour now rest, to decide whether any thing which he has said before you, can at all substantiate my guilt, or either of the charges. I know of no peculiar delicacy which attends General Coote's situation, which is not common to that of every commanding officer in every action. If he has the misfortune to have under his command, an officer who misbehaves, it is his duty to know it, to notice it, and to punish it; I ask no favour; I demand justice. It would be certainly a phenomenon in the courts of military justice, that an officer should be found guilty of a capital charge upon the evidence of his commanding officer, twelve months after the official reports from that commanding officer, and after he had been assured by the commander in chief, with reference to this very action, that his conduct was wholly unimpeached. But, gentlemen, I am anticipating difficulties. General Coote has specifically sworn, when questioned to the first charge, that to his knowledge I was not guilty of any misconduct; and to the second charge, which is said to have been committed before the enemy, he did not see me during the action; he had seen me on the 19th, and he acquitted me of any misconduct on that day. He says, he did not see me on the 20th, during the action before the enemy: how therefore can he prove the crime laid in the charge, of misbehaving before the enemy, by shamefully abandoning my post on the 20th? You must, gentlemen, have observed, when this positive question was put to him:—whether to his knowledge I were guilty of this second charge?—(I have to lament that the general's want of recollection does not afford a direct answer to it) he first alledged, that he had answered that question on Saturday, mistaking (I am to presume) this, for a similar question put to him upon the first charge on that day. His answer, however indirect, is, I must insist upon it, a complete clearance of any criminality under the second charge, or the article of war therein referred to—I don't recollect having seen him during the whole action of that day. It requires no great knowledge or reasoning to infer, that when a man who has been for two hours on the ground where another is charged with having committed a capital offence, and admits, that during those two hours he never once saw the accused person—therefore, of his own knowledge, he cannot know me to be guilty of the charge.

"Far be it from me to suggest, that the general lost his recollection on the day of action; but I am driven to the task of proving, by the oaths of undeniable witnesses, that on Saturday and Monday last he had not a recollection of several words and actions which he uttered and did on the day of action, and during the action.—But here, gentlemen, I must appeal to the indulgence of the court, and state to them, the embarrassments under which I have at this time come forward upon my defence; about two hundred of the men of my regiment, who could have given evidence of my conduct in that action, are still within the French prisons; and had I shrunk from the enquiry, you will readily admit, that I might have put off the trial for the absence of material witnesses. On the contrary, gentlemen, I complain of my prosecutor's tardiness in bringing on the trial; I am conscious of my own innocence, and I therefore rest my acquittal, not upon the irrelevancy, weakness, and imperfections of my prosecutor's evidence, but upon the candid indulgence of the court, in admitting the

the evidence of the few I can command, in lieu of the many absent witnesses whom the misfortunes of that day deprive me of the opportunity of bringing before you; I shall produce all that I know to be in the kingdom, and shall expect to be admitted within the principle of all courts whatsoever—of having offered the best evidence the case will admit of.

I have also to intreat, though I make sure of your attention to the difference between positive and negative evidence on all occasions, but particularly in an hour of confusion, as was the latter part of the action, of the 20th of May, 1798; if one man swears that he saw me in a certain position, perform certain actions, or heard me utter certain words, his evidence shall not be disproved by a thousand, who admit they did not see or hear me in the confusion; besides, the evidence you have received from my prosecutor's witnesses, is from persons, who in an action, had each their respective duties to attend to, who may have seen me for one or two minutes in situations, or under circumstances, perhaps, inexplicable to those who were strangers to the origin, motives, and effects of them: for instance, when Major Visscher tells you he saw me quitting my post in a disorderly manner, he saw me in those moments of confusion, into which the main body of the 11th regiment was thrown, by the irruption of the retreating picquets into my post; he may have seen me, as well as the other officers, in that confused movement, without being able to discern, that we were attempting, what in less than three minutes we effected; and I shall distinctly prove to you, from men who were parties concerned, that the main body of the 11th was rallied by me and other officers, and were at the post again in that short space of time, and that after this time, neither I, nor the men, quitted our post, till the flag of truce was hoisted; I may have been seen in the act of quitting my post, very early in the action, by many persons who knew not the orders under which I did it; for, notwithstanding the want of recollection in General Coote, I shall prove to you that he accosted me in these, or the like words, "Major Armstrong, go to Colonel Hely, and tell him not to throw away his fire, but if the enemy advance, to fire a volley and charge."—That I obeyed, and went to the picquets at the left, who were then engaged with the enemy, delivered the orders, and returned to my post. The fortune of war has deprived me of the possibility of bringing forward the brave Colonel Hely to prove the delivery of the orders, but I shall prove that I went and returned; indeed, Captain Blair has already given it in evidence, that he saw me quit my post, and go towards some pickets on the left who were engaged with the enemy; and I shall prove to you, that this was about the very time when General Coote gave me the before-mentioned order, which was given within a yard or two of the witness who heard it, though he may not be able to prove the impression of my person at that time upon the general.

"Gentlemen, a guardsman has informed you, that I was at a distant place from my post, encouraging a party of guards to put down their arms; you will find this fact fully disproved by my evidence, and I already meet your observations upon the nature of the evidence given in support of a charge made against me for cowardice, when it is attempted to be proved, that I quitted a place of perfect security, to go to a post of danger, within the fire of the enemy; but you will also recollect, that this witness knew me not at the time, and never saw my person

ſon till this day, though he has been equally ready to give his evidence againſt me, on Saturday and Monday laſt, when he had not ſeen me to recognize me, and conſequently when it was impoſſible for him to know, that I was the perſon who told him to put down his arms on the 20th of May.

Gentlemen, before I conclude, I muſt beg leave to obſerve, that the whole aim of the proſecutor has been, to prove that my miſconduct and example alone were the occaſion of the mens retreat from the redoubt; good God! can it be ſuppoſed, by any one member of this honourable Court, that I, commanding a part of the 11th regiment, ſtationed at a poſt againſt which not a ſingle ſhot was fired, would ſhamefully and diſgracefully quit my poſition, and, by ſhewing an example to the men under my command, cauſe them to do the ſame? and is it poſſible for it to have happened without its having been obſerved, and noticed by every officer and ſoldier, and reported, according to the ſpecial order of Sir Charles Grey, before our embarkation? to which I beg to refer the Court, entreating their forgiveneſs for having taken up ſo much of their time.

ANDREW ARMSTRONG,
Major 11th Foot."

CRICKET MATCHES.

ON Friday, Auguſt 30, a grand match of cricket was played on Richmond Green, between eleven gentlemen of Richmond, and eleven gentlemen of Putney, for 300 guineas.

PUTNEY.

FIRST INNINGS.

Elyard, ſtumpt Rook	0
Scarl, b. Jacob White	1
Pickering, c. Jacob White	0
Studwick, b. G. Hedworth	0
Turner, Eſq. b. Jacob White	2
Stanhope, ſtumpt Rook	1
Turner, c. Dean	2
Spencer, b. Jacob White	1
Haziel, b. G. Hedworth	3
Edwards, not out	3
Carpenter, b. Jacob White	0
Byes	0
	13

SECOND INNINGS.

Elyard, b. Jacob White	14
Scarl, c. Walford	6
Pickering, c. Walpole, Eſq.	5
Studwick, b. Jacob White	4
Turner, c. Dean	0
Stanhope, c. Follow	5
Turner, c. Follow	0
Spencer, b. G. Hedworth	0
Haziel, c. Jacob White	0
Edwards, b. Jacob White	2
Carpenter, not out	5
Byes	0
	41

RICHMOND.

FIRST INNINGS.

Long, b. Haziel	6
J. White, b. Haziel	15
Joſeph White, c. Haziel	0
Walford, b. Henpop	0
Follow, b. Stanhope	3
G. Hedworth, b. Haziel	2
Walpole, Eſq. run out	4
Dean, b. Haziel	0
Rook, c. Pickering	3
J. Hedworth, not out	5
Jacob White, c. Edwards	0
Byes	0
	38

SECOND INNINGS.

J. White, not out	2
Joſeph White, not out	4
Walford, run out	3
Walpole, Eſq. c. Spencer	3
Jacob White, ſtumpt Studwick	5
Byes	0
	17

Richmond won by ſeven wickets.

On

On Monday, Sept. 2, a grand ſingle match of cricket was played in Barrel's field, at Rocheſter, between three gentlemen of Bridge-hill club, againſt three gentlemen of Rocheſter club, for 200 guineas.

ROCHESTER CLUB.

FIRST INNINGS.

Hooker, b. G. Ring	18
Crawte, b. Ring	0
Ward, b. Ring	16
	34

SECOND INNINGS.

Hooker, b. Pilcher	16
Crawte, c. G. Ring	13
Ward, b. Ring	13
	42

BRIDGE-HILL CLUB.

FIRST INNINGS.

Pilcher, c. Ward	2
G. Ring, b. Ward	3
J. Ring, b. Ward	0
	5

SECOND INNINGS.

Pilcher, b. Hooker	7
G. Ring, b. Ward	4
J. Ring, b. Hooker	11
	22

Five to four on Rocheſter club at ſtarting. Rocheſter club won by 49 runs.

On Tueſday and Wedneſday, the 3d and 4th inſtant, a grand ſingle match of cricket was played in Barrell's field, at Rocheſter, between Fennex, of Middleſex, with Barton and Read to field, againſt three gentlemen of Rocheſter club, for 200 guineas.

FENNEX.

FIRST INNINGS.

Fennex, c. Crawte	44

ROCHESTER CLUB.

FIRST INNINGS.

Smith, b. Fennex	2
Crawte, b. Fennex	0
Ward, b. Fennex	0
	2

SECOND INNINGS.

Smith, b. Fennex	2
Crawte, b. Fennex	6
Ward, b. Fennex	2
	10

Fennex won by one innings, and 32 runs. Six to four on Fennex at ſtarting.

On Tueſday, the 10th inſtant, a grand ſingle match of cricket was played in the barrack field at Woolwich, two of the Rocheſter club, with Ward, of Woolwich, againſt Fennex, of Middleſex, with Ray and Barton to field, for 200 guineas.

ROCHESTER.

FIRST INNINGS.

Smith, b. Fennex	0
Ward, b. Fennex	17
Read, b. Fennex	2
	19

SECOND INNINGS.

Smith, b. Fennex	10
Ward, c. Barton	5
Read, b. Fennex	3
	18

FENNEX.

FIRST INNINGS.

Fennex, b. Ward	14

SECOND

SECOND INNINGS.

Fennex, c. Ward	14

Six to four on Fennex at ſtarting. The three won by nine runs.

On Thurſday, Sept. 5, and the following day, was played, a grand match of cricket on Richmond Green, between eleven gentlemen of Richmond, and eleven gentlemen of Putney, for 300 guineas.

RICHMOND.

FIRST INNINGS.

J. White, b. Pickering	3
J. White, run out	1
Jacob White, run out	10
Follow, c. Turner	0
J. Hedworth, b. Haziel	1
Walfort, c. Stanhope	4
G. Hedworth, b. Pickering	18
Walpole, Eſq. b. Stanhope	0
Long, b. Stanhope	20
Dean, b. Elyard	0
Rook, not out	0
Byes	1
	50

SECOND INNINGS.

J. White, b. Aldridge	36
J. White, . Elliot	0
Jacob White, b. Stanhope	1
Follow, b. Haziel	7
J. Hedworth, not out	0
Walfort, c. Haziel	9
G. Hedworth, c. Hazell	8
Walpole, Eſq. c. G. Turner	7
Long, b. Aldridge	7
Dean, b. Haziel	5
Rook, c. G. Turner	3
Byes	1
	84

PUTNEY.

FIRST INNINGS.

Stanhope, b. G. Hedworth	0
Turner, leg before wicket	9
Spencer, run out	7
Hedwick, b. Jacob White	4
Elyard, b. Jacob White	10
Aldridge, run out	10
Turner, hit wicket	1
Carpenter, run out	1
Searl, run out	2
Edwards, not out	4
Haziel, c. Walpole, Eſq.	3
Byes	0
	51

SECOND INNINGS.

Stanhope, c. G. Hedworth	4
Turner, b. G. Hedworth	1
Spencer, not out	14
Hedwick, b. G. Hedworth	8
Elvard, b. G. Hedworth	8
Aldridge, c. Walpole	19
Turner, b. G. Hedworth	0
Carpenter, b. G. Hedworth	8
Searl, run out	14
Edwards, b. G. Hedworth	4
Haziel, b. G. Hedworth	0
Byes	0
	80

Richmond won by three runs; five to four on Richmond at ſtarting.

On Monday, September 9, and the following day, was played a grand match of Cricket, in Marſhe's New Cricket Ground at Rocheſter, between eleven gentlemen of the Town, againſt eleven gentlemen of the Dock, for 300 guineas.

THE TOWN.

FIRST INNINGS.

Biſhop, b. Harris	9
Frydy, b. Sharp	8
Ledwell, run out	11
Carrier, b. Harris	0
Hills, b. ditto	14
Bennet, not out	12
Pearce, b. Dodd	3
Rakes, c. Sharp	0
Leyceſter, b. Harris	8

Waghorn,

Waghorn, b. ditto	0
Tayler, c. Peck	7
Byes	9
	81

SECOND INNINGS.

Bishop, stumpt Morton	26
Frydy, b. Harris	15
Ledwell, c. Pellet	3
Carrier, c. Peck	0
Hills, b. Pellet	4
Bennet, c Hog	20
Pearce, b. Fellett	2
Rakes, b. Harris	1
Leycester, c. Sharp	0
Waghorn, not out	6
Taylor, b. Harris	18
Byes	10
	105

THE DOCK.

FIRST INNINGS.

Sharp, b. Bennet	4
Dodd, run out	5
Harris, b. Carrier	0
Morton, b. Carrier	2
Peck, b. Carrier	2
Stephens, b. Bennet	8
Heite, b. Carrier	14
Pellet, c. Carrier	0
Wilson, b. Carrier	5
May, not out	2
Hog, c. Carrier	1
Byes	6
	49

SECOND INNINGS.

Sharp, c. Bennet	3
Dodd, run out	0
Harris, b. Carrier	17
Morton, c. Pearce	11
Peck, b. Carrier	0
Stephens, run out	15
Heite, c. Hills	22
Pellet, b. Hills	4
Hog, not out	16
Byes	13
	101

The Dock has two wickets to go down, and 36 runs to get. Five to four on the Three Towns at starting.

September the 17th, and two following days, was played a grand match of cricket, at Waltham Abbey, Essex, between eleven gentlemen of Middlesex, against eight of Waltham Abbey, with three men given from Herts, for 500 guineas.

WALTHAM.

FIRST INNINGS.

T. Allen, stumpt Frost	10
W. Allen, b. Turner	9
Wyebourn, c. Aldridge	14
J. Field, b. Hill	30
T. Field, b. Barton	17
Carr, c. Aldridge	5
Payne, b. Turner	0
T. Litler, b. Barton	9
J. Litler, b. Hill	0
Hoar, b. Turner	5
Speller, not out	0
Byes	4
	103

SECOND INNINGS.

T. Allen, c. Hill	7
W. Allen, run out	9
Wyebourn, b. Hill	6
J. Field, b. Stanhope	12
T. Field, c. Anderson	3
Carr, run out	1
Payne, b. Turner	3
T. Litler, c. Anderson	7
Hoar, and not out	4
Speller, and not out	1
Byes	1
	57

MIDDLESEX.

FIRST INNINGS.

Eldridge, b. T. Litler	0
Richardson, stumpt Wyebourn	5
Smith, b. T. Litler	2
Barton, b. J. Litler	10
Aldridge, b. J. Litler	4

Hill,

Hill, c. T. Litler	2
Stanhope, c. J. Field	2
Abbot, b. J. Litler	0
Froſt, c. Payne	1
Anderſon, not out	0
Turner, b. T. Litler	0
Byes	0
	26

Five to four on Middleſex at ſtarting.

SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

A Moſt curious cricket-match has been lately played at Stroud, near Rocheſter, between two elevens, compoſed of what are termed the *Groutings of the Parr's Head Porter Shop*, Rocheſter; and the *Fag End of Rocheſter Cricket Club*. Sir Edward Knatchbull, and ſeveral reputable gentlemen of the neighbourhood attended the dinner. Although the Groutings aſſumed great pretenſions to the *fineneſs* of playing, yet the *Fag End*, by giving them a ſevere baſting, proved the *beſt* part of the piece.

On Monday, the 2d ultimo, a pitched battle was fought on Enfield race-ground, between Howſer, a Jew, and Owen, an oilman, a noted boxer; the ſeconds were Bartholomew for Howſer, and Joe Ward for Owen. After fighting upwards of 40 minutes, Owen gave up the conteſt. They were both much beaten; the latter ſo much, as to be taken to the hoſpital. They fought for 10 guineas a ſide.

On Thurſday, the 5th ult. a deſperate battle was fought in a field, called the fighting field, Stepney, between two women, namely, Mrs. Ruff, of Coleman-ſtreet, and Moll Glaſs, when, after a conteſt of 30 minutes, victory declared in favour of Ruff, though bets were ſix to four in favour of Glaſs, who appeared the moſt powerful of the two.

On draining the baſon in St. James's-ſquare, for the purpoſe of erecting a ſtatue of William III. the workmen have found many curious articles. The moſt ſingular of theſe are, the keys of Newgate, together with a quantity of chains and fetters, which it is well known were ſtolen at the time that priſon was burnt down during the riots in 1780. Many ale-houſe pewter pots, a pocket-book, ſome cards, and falſe dice, a number of horſe-ſhoes, two or three guineas, ſome ſhillings, &c.

WHIMSICAL WAGER.

Sir George Murray and Colonel Smith are, in the courſe of next month, to drive their curricles from London to Bath and back again, without a whip, for a wager of two hundred guineas.

The ſtanding-corn has hitherto proved a great ſafeguard to the partridges, the numbers killed being comparatively ſmall with former years. Captain Blagrave, who is allowed to be a capital ſhot, on the firſt day laſt year, killed twenty-four brace; on Monday, Sept 2, he returned from the field with only five brace.

Auguſt 13th. Died, at his houſe at Dover, Mr. Vanſelm. He fell a victim to his fondneſs for the turf. When taken ill, he was ſweating *down* to ride a match he had made with Mr. Furley, of Canterbury.

Mendoza, from Whitehaven, went to St. Bees, where he exhibited on Saturday, the 14th ult. and was to have ſet out next day for Dumfries, on his tour through Scotland.

A man was apprehended at York during the races, charged with having robbed his lodgings; on ſearching him, eight counterfeit Bank of England notes were found in his poſſeſſion; he ſwallowed ſeveral others when taken into cuſtody.

REMARKABLE SANG-FROID IN A HORSE-STEALER.

We mentioned this extraordinary epiſtle in our Magazine for July laſt, p. 217. We are now enabled, to gratify our readers with a faithful tranſcript of it, at full length—

"Mr. C——,

"If you will come to me in Newgate priſon, I will tell you where your aſs, mare and foal is, that you loſt after Chriſtmas. If you will tell the owner of the dark brown horſe to come with you, and the owner of the two that was loſt off the foreſt, oppoſite the Horſe and Groom; one of them is an old coach-horſe, very lame; the other was a cropped one, a bright bay. Tell them all to come here at twelve o'clock on Saturday, and aſk for me—but not to take any notice what you are coming about. I ſuppoſe you know that I am caſt for death. The dark brown horſe was taken away from the ſoil that was made near Bucket's Hill. So no more at preſent from your's, &c. &c. B. J."

A gentleman, lately from Cochin, in China, ſtates, that the horſes bread in Corea, to the north-eaſt of China, are no more than three feet in height. A few had been ſent to Bengal, and are perfect curioſities.

During the time of weighing for Workington races, an angler, on the oppoſite ſide of the Derwent, hooked a ſalmon. The attention of the populace was long divided between him and the *horſes*. At length the angler drew the *whole* of the company; even out of the tents. The ſtarting of the horſes was, of courſe, ſuſpended for the ſpace of a quarter of an hour, when the combat terminating in the death of the ſalmon, they were at leiſure to attend to the proper buſineſs of the meeting.

The Marquis of Donnegal will neither ſhoot the game on his Iriſh eſtates this ſeaſon, or allow any one elſe to do ſo.

SAILING MATCHES.

On Monday, Auguſt 17, a moſt capital ſailing-match took place, from Cowes round the buoy of the Needles, and back again round the buoy at St. Helen's to Cowes. The veſſels ſtarted at ſeven in the morning, and returned at half paſt three in the afternoon. The Prime came in firſt, Alert ſecond, and Ranger third. The prizes for the four firſt veſſels were 18, 12, 8, and 4 guineas. On Tueſday there was a private match between the Prime and the James and Sam, from Cowes to Pool Bar, which was performed in eight hours and thirteen minutes, and won by the Prime by only half a minute.

The Annual Sailing Match of veſſels, off the Iſle of Merſea, in Eſſex, was on Friday, Auguſt 29, when a fine freſh breeze of wind blowing through the day, the nautical race afforded an intereſting ſpectacle to the company on board the various pleaſure yachts, &c. aſſembled on the occaſion: the veſſels ſailed twice from a boat off the port of Bradwell, round another boat ſtationed between the beach-head and the knowl-ſand, a diſtance of about twenty leagues: five ſtarted, and the three headmoſt coming in as they are claſſed, were adjudged to have won the annexed prizes, viz.

1. *Unity*, of Merſea—ſilver cup.

2. *Mayflower*, of ditto—ſuit of colours.

3. *Good Intent*, of Eaſt Dounglard—braſs compaſs.

The demand for Orange has been ſo great, that the *orange women* at the Theatres have entered into a combination to raiſe the price of their *commodities*.

Hambletonian

Hambletonian is to run no more; he is to be kept for the purpose of *young Hambletonians*. Had he been beaten at York, his reputation in this way would have been ruined, and therefore he did not run. His amours will produce Sir Harry Vane as much money as those of Old Q. have cost.

On Friday, Sept. 5, a salmon, weighing about six pounds, and appearing in prime season, was caught in the river Avon, near Bradford; an instance of which had never before occurred, in the recollection of the oldest inhabitant of that town, though it is said that about 48 years ago a fine fish of this species was caught near Monk's Mills, and even that must have strayed near 30 miles from the mouth of the Severn.

Cross Fell mountain in Cumberland, is the strong hold of a *robber*, whom the united force of the country, tried in many a fruitless attempt, cannot dislodge. His ravages, the last spring, had almost extirpated the race of *geese* in that neighbourhood: neither arms nor spells, nor charms have any efficacy against the wiles of Reynard, who does not, however, confine himself to the feathered race, but occasionally indulges in—*a bit of mutton*.

At one of the balls lately given at a watering-place, Bognor, in Sussex, some *wicked wags* filled the tea kettles with *sea-water*, and the tea, though it had an *odd taste*, was drank in the heat of the dancing; but soon after the dancers as eagerly quitted the ball-room, and the company broke up *rather prematurely*.

Among the many extraordinary accidents from the late flood, we have [illegible] the following singular one: The torrent of water (at St[illegible], near Lymm) was so impetuous, as to overwhelm and drown—a flock of geese.

FEAST OF WIT,
OR
SPORTSMAN's HALL.

NAVAL ANECDOTE.

SINCE the late advantages over the Dutch, a sailor's wife at Wapping, having received a letter, one of her neighbours called to her out of window, to know if she had any good news from her husband? "O yes," replied the former,—"*he has took one fleet already, and he is in sight of another!*"

RUSSIAN QUACKERY.

A balsam is sold at Riga, and being intended for exportation, an English hand-bill is distributed, from which, as a proof of its superior virtues, the following passage is literally and verbally extracted—"Take a hen, or a ram, drive a nail through its skull, brains and tongue, then pour some of the balsam into the wound; it will directly stop the blood, make a cure, and in about ten minutes the creature will eat as before."—This marvellous balsam is sold by Andreas Biorkgren, in Smith-street, near the Town Stables.

An ecclesiastic in Germany, who seems willing to support the notion of Cæsar, viz. that the goose was a sacred bird among the Britons, seriously relates, that a blind woman of a village in that country, used to be led every Sunday to church, by a gander taking hold of her gown with his bill. When he had introduced her to her seat, he always quitted the premises to go and graze in the church-yard; and no sooner was the congregation dismissed, but he returned to his duty and led her home. One day, the relator called at the house of the party, and expressing his surprize to her daughter, upon her mother's being abroad,—"Ah, Sir," said the girl, "we are not afraid of trusting her out, the gander is with her."

A sheepish nation is certainly a new idea:—A book has lately been published in Portugal, entitled The *Balidos*, viz. the Bleatings of the churches of Portugal after their Sovereign pastor—the Pope.

IRISH BULL.

A Protestant clergyman, in a corps of Irish yeomanry, being attacked and severely wounded by a party of assassins, thought it prudent to feign himself dead. His assailants were soon after brought to trial, and one of them being asked by the Judge if he had any questions to put to the prosecutor, answered, "My Lord, as the gentleman says he was dead, I should be glad to know how he can tell that it was I that shot him."

A poor man was complaining to a rich one, of the largeness of his family, saying, "it generally happened that poor people had the most children to keep," was answered, that "God never sent more mouths into the world than food to supply them."—"Very true," replied the other; "but the food is in your house, and the children in mine."

A grave magistrate was lately sitting at table between two young coxcombs, who took it into their heads to turn him into ridicule.—"Gentlemen," said he, "I plainly perceive your design—you wish to make me the butt of your wit and pleasantry; but I must beg leave to give you a just idea of my character; be it known to you, therefore, that I am not precisely a *fool*, neither am I altogether a *fop*, but (as you see) something *between both!*"

A gentleman has lately advertised for a house in the country, within twenty miles of which there must be no attorney, nor pack of hounds. The name of the gentleman who so much dreads an *attorney*, and a *pack of hounds* is, we have been since assured, *Robin Hare*.

It is related of the French commandant of a small garrison in the Neapolitan territory, that he sent a flag of truce to the besieging General, requesting two bottles of claret for his own drinking; but declaring at the same time that he would defend the place to the last *drop*—of *blood*—it might have been understood. However, the place was surrendered in the course of two hours.

REPARTEE.

The Prince of Conde besieged a town in Spain, of the name of Lerida, and was unsuccessful. At the playhouse, one night, he cried out. "Take that fellow, who is making a noise in the pit, and carry him to prison." "I am *not* to be taken, said the man, as he was running away, *my name is Lerida!*"

FRENCH REPARTEE.

A few days since one of the French prisoners made his escape from Bristol, and was retaken at Abingdon; while in custody of Goldby, the jailor, he begged of him to recommend him to serve on board one of our men of war:—"Ah, ah," said Goldby, "but do you know the consequence if you are taken? you will be shot directly." "Oh, no," replied Monsieur, "*for you know English man of war be never taken.*"

A large assortment of *black* bear skins, of *different colours* is advertised to be sold in Dublin.

The *bread-fruit* has long since been known; and now, it seems, Mr. Park has found a *butter* tree. What a valuable discovery, if the plants would thrive in our climate! Every man might then grow his own bread and butter, and gather both at the windows of his breakfast-room exactly at the moment when his tea is ready.

POETRY.

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THE HIGH COURT OF DIANA.

AN APOLOGY FOR SWEARING.

As once a preacher made a hideous roar,
Three drunken ſailors op'd the meeting door:
His Rev'rence twigg'd 'em, baited freſh his trap,
New converts from Old Nick of courſe to nap.
The poor pew-opener too, a grave old woman,
With wrinkled face, juſt like a boatſwain's yeoman.
Poor! did I ſay? oh! how I wrong the race!
His Rev'rence told me ſhe was rich in grace!
I ſay, this good old creature, thinking right,
As ſoon as Neptune's ſons appeared in ſight,
Turn'd up her eyes with truly ſolemn ſtare,
And to addreſs them duly did prepare.

With preface, of three diſmal groans compos'd,
She op'd her lips, and thus her mind diſclos'd—
" Ye wretched men, conceiv'd and born in ſin,
The Goſpel's gates are open—enter in;
Come and be ſav'd, ye fallen ſons of Adam."
At which they all roar'd out—" God d—n ye, Madam!
Your jawing tackle's at its proper pitch,
Get out you naſty ugly ſwab-fac'd b—ch;
Go hang yourſelf, you terrible old cat!
What humbug rig is this that you'd be at?"

Such language, ſung out in a ſailor's note,
Soon reach'd the man in black, who preach'd by rote:
He—and here centers what I would remark,
Being no novice, beckons to his clerk:
The Amen-man did inſtantly obey,
And got inſtructions what to do and ſay.

Up to the tars he goes, as he was bid—
Hawls out his box, with " B—ſt ye, take a quid!
What cheer my thund'ring bucks? How are ye all?
Turn in, and give your ſins an overhaul."

The ſailors turn'd their quids, and roll'd their eyes,
And view'd their benefactor with ſurpriſe;
Swore, d—n their bloods, he was a hearty ſoul,
And in they bundled, ſtagg'ring cheek by jowl.

His Rev'rence preach'd and groan'd, and preach'd again;
And we are told he did not preach in vain!
The plan ſucceeded, which he had concerted—
They went in ſinners, but came out converted!

Now on this ſtory we may juſt remark,
That thoſe few oaths, coin'd by the Preacher's clerk,
And which he uttered, while the tars addreſſing,
Prove, conſequently, that a damn's a bleſſing—
When thus applied, juſt like a bliſter-plaiſter,
To keep a perſon from a worſe diſaſter!

CATO.

AN

AN OTAHEITAN EPIGRAM.

THE SAME CAUSE DOES NOT ALWAYS PRODUCE THE SAME EFFECT.

WISE Miſſionaries from afar,
Sail o'er the briny flood;
And hither come, with wond'rous love,
To teach us to be good.

But when they find how bad we are,
They turn upon the toe;
And ſo becauſe we're *bad*, they come—
Becauſe we're *bad*, they go.

EPITAPH UPON A STAY-MAKER,

KILLED BY JUMPING OUT OF A WINDOW.

UNDER this ſtone poor Foret lies,
'Mong lifeleſs clay-cold lumps;
Who liv'd his days, by making ſtays,
And died at laſt by jumps.

A FOX CHACE.

By JULIUS MICKLE,
Author of the LUSIAD.

WHILE thus the knights long ſmo-therd fires broke forth,
The rouſing muſicke of the horn he hears
Shrill echoing through the wold, and by the north
Where bends the hill the ſounding chace appears;
The hounds with glorious peal ſalute his ears,
And wood and dale rebound the ſwelling lay;
The youths on courſers fleet as fallow deers
Pour through the downs, while, foremoſt of the fray,
Away! the jolly huntſman cries; and echoe ſounds, Away!

Now had the beagles ſcourd the buſhy ground,
Till where a brooke ſtrays hollow through the bent,
When all confuſd and ſnuffing wyldlie round,
In vain their fretfull haſte explord the ſcent:
But reynards cunning all in vain was ſpent,
The huntſman from his ſtand his arts had ſpyd,
Had markt his doublings and his ſhrewd intent,
How both the bancks he traced, then back-ward plyd
His track ſome twentie roods, then bound-ing ſprong aſide.

Eke had he markt where to the broome he crept,
Where, hearkening every ſound, an hare was laid;
Then from the thickeſt buſh he wylie lept,
And wary ſcuds along the hawthorne ſhade,
Till by the hills ſlant foot he earths his head
Amid a briaric thickett: emblem meet
Of wylie ſtateſman of his foes adred;
He oft miſguides the peoples rage, I weet,
On others, whilſt himſelfe winds off with ſlie deceit.

The cunning huntſman now cheers on his pack,
The lurking hare is in an inſtant ſlain:
Then opening loud the beagles ſcent the track
Right to the hill, while thondring through the plain
With blyth huzzas advaunce the jovial train,
And now the groomes and ſquires, cow-herds and boys
Beat round and round the brake; but all in vain
Their poles they ply, and vain their oathes and noiſe
Till plonging in his den the terrier fiercely joys.

Expelld his hole, upſtarts to open ſky
The villain bold, and wildly glares around.
Now here, now there, he bends his knees to fly;
As oft recoils to guard from backward wound;
His frothie jaws he grinds—with horrid ſound
The pack attonce * ruſh on him: foming ire,
Fierce at his throte and ſides hangs many a hound;
His burning eyes flaſh wylde red ſparkling fire,
Whiles weltring on the ſwaird his breath and ſtrength expire.

* At once, together.

THE

THE PEASANT AND HIS ASS.

A TALE.

As on the road a peasant drove his ass,
He spy'd a meadow rich in grass;
And though he had no right to do it,
He dar'd the pound, and turn'd the beast
into it.

The jack-ass charm'd at such a treat,
With choice to crop, and time to eat,
Graz'd here and there the field all over;
Then pranc'd and rear'd, and toss'd his
head,
And in the thick on't made his bed,
Like one that's nurs'd in clover.

Amidst this jubilee, the foe appears;
The clown cries out, haste, haste, away!
At which our ass prick'd up his ears,
And bray'd, No, friend, I chuse to stay:
Will those folks load a double pack
Upon my back?

Why, no; then what is it to me,
If I belong to them or thee?
You may by flight your freedom have,
If you disdain to be a slave:
For me, it is no new disaster;
Nor do I know
The thing that I can call my foe,
Except my master.

THE OFFSPRING OF TIME.

Poor Nan, who from a slippery trick,
Found proof that she was frail—
With plaintive tone, begg'd sweetheart
Dick,
Of promise not to fail.

The hour was past—Dick answer'd mild,
To be excus'd he'd rather;
Nine months she knew had brought the
child,
So Time must be the father.

EXTEMPORE,

On being asked by an Extravagant Friend, how I could live in town upon a small Income?

Though far from rich, and some-
times too, in debt,
I live by *that*, which thou can'st never get;
For honest principle affords to me
What loss of confidence refuses thee—
Pure credit's mine, with faculties of mind
To serve myself, and not to wrong mankind.
This golden rule the poorest will secure;
Without this rule, the richest will be poor.

CYPHER.

THE ECHO OF THE DUST-HILL:

A SONG.

Tune—"*Despairing beside a Clear Stream.*"

Joe, the Dustman, complain'd to the
wind—
The wind it lamented his moan;
While Echo stood mocking behind,
As returning him every groan.
Sure some Angel in pity is mov'd!
Astonish'd, the dustman he said;
In the long run, I hope 'twill be prov'd,
That all matches in Heaven are made.

Or is it some lovyer's sad shade,
As in many a ballad I've read—
That, like me, was a skeleton made,
And, till death, never held up his head.
If 'tis that then the cause of his woe,
Some flash-girl in the market may be;
Bess, the bunter, I'll mourn where I go,
Until grown a mere shadow like thee."

And to talk of affairs in this cave,
I think we had best to retire;
Such places are most like the grave;
So the echo repeated—*retire!*
'Twas close by the cinder-rais'd hill,
Where this sad dusky cavern they found;
When the dustman he bellow'd his fill,
And echo repeated each sound.

For reclining himself on the ground,
Whilst his hand it supported his head;
In despair he revolv'd each fair pound
That for gin, to treat Bess, he had paid.
But if once on his rival he thought,
In a rage, he would start, and he'd cry,
Oh! bl—st all the rhino he's got,
He can treat her with more gin than I!

So the dustman he died, in despair,
The echo still humour'd his pain;
And when dead, bunting Bess was the care
Of the other more turbulent swain.
The dustmen that pass by the place,
Or drink at the ale-house hard by—
Own Joe's was a pitiful case,
And swallow their gin with a sigh!

THE

THE FALL OF THE LEAF.

A DIRGE.

HARK!—the wind whiftles loud—'tis the fummons of death
To the delicate orphans that Autumn has left;
See the froft-fmitten leaves, how they ftrew ev'ry path,
See each plant, fhrub, and tree of their honours bereft.

The deep-drenching rain, and the harfh-founding flood,
The mi...-mantled evening, and rime-fpangled morn—
To the feeble defcendants of flefh and of blood,
Alternate announce the dread feafon's return!

Now, farewel a-while to the mufical grove,
Where pleafure and innocence often were feen;
Farewel, ye fair arbours of Friendfhip and Love—
Simplicity's gambol—Mirth's dance on the green!

While the rigours of Nature forbid us to roam,
Let Art the defect of Amufement fupply:
From abroad let us turn our attention to home,
And fecure what the feafon feems thus to deny.

From the hearth now expel each fad emblem of Spring,
Whofe beauty's departed, whofe odours are fled:
Bring the fplinter of wood, the live coal quickly bring:
Let Vulcan, O Flora, now reign in thy ftead!

To Minerva, and Momus, and Bacchus be paid
All homage that each has a right to expect;
By turns let us frolic, by turns let us read,
Be jovial, fometimes, and at others—reflect.

Thus Time fhall glide on without marking his Moon,
Or counting the turns of his flow-running glafs,
'Till the thrufh's fhrill note, and the blackbird's foft tune
Announce the return of the green-mantled Lafs.

HAFIZ.

A SEA SONG.

BY A TURF SPORTSMAN.

WRITTEN IN 1799.—NEVER PUBLISHED

COME, cheer up, old England, come cheer up again,
The threats of Conventions, and Spaniard's difdain;
Let the world come againft us, we ne'er will be flaves,
But die, as we're born—free fons of the waves.
Hearts of Oak, &c.

When Spain broke her treaties, and play'd a bafe part,
Brave St. Vincent chaftifed her, and fplit the Don's heart;
Now in Cadiz block'd up, they may there go to fleep,
For they dare not e'en venture to play at Bo-peep.
Hearts of Oak, &c.

Let Egypt aloud, Nelfon's glory proclaim,
Who, like Cæfar, at once, came, faw, and o'ercame;
While Frenchmen defpair, may Britannia fmile,
And the fhouts of the Thames, refound to the Nile.
Hearts of Oak, &c.

Now frantic with rage, as a dernier refort,
With invafion France threatened Hibernia's coaft;
When Warren's fharp broadfides play'd up the old game,
And proud Britifh tars in all feas are the fame.
Hearts of Oak, &c.

May our foldiers and failors then join heart in hand,
To defend the choice bleffings enjoy'd by this land;
May peace, after conqueft, bring joy to each heart,
Whilft the Turks and the devil divide Buonaparte.
Hearts of Oak, &c.

WRITTEN WITH CHALK, UPON A PARK WALL IN WARWICKSHIRE.

A Fine park, but no deer!
A large houfe, but no cheer!
For Squire Hawkins lives here,
And drinks only fmall beer!

THE

RACING CALENDAR.

RACES PAST.

NEWMARKET CRAVEN MEETING, 1799.

MONDAY, MARCH 25th.

THE Craven stakes, a subscription of 10gs each, for all ages; two yr olds carrying 6st. three yr olds, 8st. four yr olds, 8st 9lb. five yr olds, 9st 1lb. six yr olds, 9st. 5lb. and aged, 9st 7lb. Across the Flat. (9 subscribers)

Ld Clermont's ch. h. Spoliator, by Trumpator, 5 yrs old 1
Sir F. Standish's b. h. Didelot, by Trumpator, 5 yrs old 2
Mr. Cookson's br. c. Razor, 4 yrs old 3
Mr. Perren's b. f. Louisa, 4 yrs old 4
Mr. Broadhurst's b. c. Invalid, 3 yrs old 5
Mr. Durand's b. c. Johnny, 4 yrs old 6

11 to 8 on Spoliator.

Sir H. T. Vane's b. h. Hambletonian, by King Fergus, 8st 3lb. beat Mr. Cookson's br. h. Diamond, 8st B. C. 3000gs, h. ft.

5 to 4 on Hambletonian.

Mr. Cookson's b. c. Speculator, by Dragon, 7st 7lb. beat Mr. Watson's b. c. by Magpie, 8st. Ab. M. 100gs.

5 and 6 to 4 on Mr. Watson.

A sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. colts, 8st 3lb. fillies 8st. rising three yrs old. Across the Flat. (7 subscribers).

Mr. Golding's br. c. by Pegasus, out of Asparagus's dam 1
Ld Egremont's b. c. by Precipitate, dam by Highflyer, out of Chanticleer's dam 2
D. of Grafton's ch. c. Vandal, by Skyscraper, out of Venus 3
Ld Grosvenor's b. f. by John Bull, out of Nimble 4

6 to 4 agst Ld Egremont, and 2 to 1 agst Ld Grosvenor.

A sweepstakes of 200gs each, h. ft. 8st 3lb each, rising four yrs old, Clermont Course. (14 subscribers)

Ld Grosvenor's br. c. Admiral Nelson by John Bull 1
Ld Egremont's ch. c. by Precipitate, out of Bobtail 2
Mr. Perren's b. c. Young Javelin 3
Mr. Golding's c. by Dungannon, out of Asparagus' dam 4

3 to 1 on Admiral Nelson.

Sir F. Standish's c. by Volunteer, out of Spread Eagle's dam, recd, 85gs compromise from Mr. Wilson's b. c. by Buzzard, out of Calash, 8st. 4lb. each, R. M. 300gs, h. ft.

On Tuesday a sweepstakes of 100gs each h. ft. by four yr olds, D. C.

D. of Queensberry's ro. c. Admiral, by Pumpkin, 7st 9lb. 1
Ld Sackville's ch. c. Commodore 7st 11lb. 2
Mr. Concannon's f. Madona, 6st 4lb. 3
Mr. Vernon's b. c. Centinel, 8st 4lb. 4
Ld Sackville's c. Magic, 8st 11lb pd ft

7 to 4 agst Admiral, 7 to 4 agst Commodore, and 4 to 1 agst Madona.

A Subscription Handicap Plate of 50l. for three yr olds and upwards, Ditch-in.

Mr. Durand's b. c. Johnny, by King Fergus, 4 yrs old, 8st 5lb. 1
Sir C. Bunbury's b. c. Wrangler, 4 yrs old, 8st 5lb. 2
Mr. Blagrave's m. Outcast, 5 yrs old, 8st. 3

7 to 4 on Wrangler, 5 to 2 agst Johnny, and 5 to 1 agst Outcast.

The first class of the Oatlands Stakes of 50gs. each, h. ft. Ditch-in.

Mr. Cookson's b. h. Diamond, by Highflyer, 6 yrs old, 9st 4lb. 1
Mr. Perren's b. c. Young Javelin, 3 yrs old, 6st 7lb. 2
Sir H. T. Vane's b. h. St. George, aged, 8st 13lb. 3
Ld Grosvenor's brother to Waxy, 3 yrs old, 6st 12lb. 4
Mr. Lade's Grey Pilot, 4 yrs old, 7st 11lb. Mr. Adams's Bennington, aged, 7st 9lb. Mr. Durand's b. c. Sheet Anchor, 3 yrs old, 6st 8lb. Sir C. Bunbury's ch. c, Combatant, 3 yrs old, 6st 8lb. and Mr, Howorth's c. by Precipitate, out of Calomel's dam, 3 yrs old, 5st 8lb. also started, but the judge could place only the first four.
Ld Grosvenor's c. by Pot8o's, out of Trifle, 3 yrs old, 7st 3lb. pd ft

7 to 2 agst Bennington, 4 to 1 agst Diamond, 5 to one agst Combatant, 6 to 1 agst Sheet Anchor, 6 to 1 agst Grey Pilot, and 10 to 1 agst Young Javelin.

On Wednesday a sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. by three yr olds, Ditch-in. (12 subscribers)

Ld Grosvenor's ch. f. Lady Bull, by John Bull, 8st. 1
Mr. Blagrave's b. c. Sifter, by Sattellite, 7st 2lb. 2
Mr. Thompson's b. c. Pensioner 7st 4lb. 3
Mr. Concannon's ch. c. Sparrowhawk, 7st 12lb. 4
Mr. Cussans's b. c. Young Spear, 8st 2lb. 5

2 to 1 on Lady Bull, 4 to 1 agst. Sifter, 7 to 1 agst Pensioner, and 10 to 1 agst Sparrowhawk.

The second class of the Oatlands stakes of 50gs each, h. ft. Ditch-in. (10 subscribers)

Mr. Turnor's bl. c. Oscar, brother to General, by Saltram, 3 yrs old, 6st 6lb. 1

Ld

Ld Grosvenor's ch f. Lady Bull, 3 yrs old, 7st 2
Mr. Heathcote's Warter, 4 yrs old, 8st 3
Sir F. Standish's b. c. Stamford, 4 yrs old, 8st. 5lb 4
Mr. Durand's b. h. Play or Pay, aged, 7st 11lb 5
Mr. Cookson's b. h. Ambrosio, five yrs old, 9st 7lb. Ld Clermont's b. h. Aimator, aged, 8st 12lb. and Ld G. H. Cavendish's h. by Jupiter, 6 yrs old, 7st 8lb also started, but the judge could only place the first five.

3 to 1 agst Stamford, 7 to 2 agst Oscar, 4 to 1 agst Lady Bull, 4 to 1 agst Ambrosio, 6 to 1 agst Warter, 10 to 1 agst Lord G. H. Cavendish, and 10 to 1 agst Aimator.

A sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. Across the Flat.

Mr. Howorth's ch. c. by Buzzard, out of a sister to Druid, 7st 1
Mr. Dawson's b. c. by Coriander, out of Imperatrix, 8st 2
Mr. Hallett's f. by Pegasus, out of Gnat, 7st 9lb 3

2 to 1 on Mr. Howorth.

A Subscription Plate of 50l. for two yr olds, carrying 7st. three yr olds, 8st 5lb. and four yr olds, 8st. 12lb. Two yr old course.

Mr. Durand's b. c. Sheet Anchor, by Noble, 3 yrs old 1
Mr. Wyndham's ch. c. by Precipitate, out of Bobtail, 3 yrs old 2
Sir F. Standish's ch. c. Split Pigeon, three yrs old 3
Mr. Vernon's b. c. Centinel, 4 yrs old, Mr. Goodisson's b. c. by Fidget, 4 yrs old, Ld Clermont's br. c. Carlo, 2 yrs old, Sir C. Bunbury's gr. c. Greyhound, 4 yrs old, Ld Grosvenor's ch. c. Esculus, 4 yrs old, and Mr. Phillips's b. c. by Escape, 3 yrs old, also started, but the judge could place only the first 3.

Even betting, Mr. Wyndham's c. agst the field, 6 to 1 agst Greyhound, and 8 to 1 agst Sheet Anchor.

On Thursday, D. of Grafton's b. m. Rattle, by Trumpator, 5 yrs old, 8st 10lb. beat Mr. Panton's gr. c. by Falcon, 2 yrs old, 6st. 4lb. Ab. M. 50gs.

Even betting.

A Subscription Handicap Plate of 50l. for three yr olds and upwards, R. M.

Mr. Cussan's b. c. Young Spear, by Javelin, 3 yrs old, 6st 9lb 1
Mr. Wyndham's b. h. Gohanna, aged, 8st 7lb 2
Ld Clermont's Paynator, aged, 9st 1lb. Sir F. Standish's b. h. Didelot, 5 yrs old, 8st 7lb Mr. Lade's Grey Pilot, 4 yrs old, 8st 4lb. Mr. Cookson's br. c. Razor, 4 yrs old, 7st 9lb. Sir C. Bunbury's gr c. Greyhound, 4 yrs old, 7st 9lb and Mr. Girdler's f. Hare, 4 yrs old, 6st 11lb also started, but the judge could place only the first two.

5 to 2 agst Razor, 3 to 1 agst Paynator, 7 to 2 agst Young Spear, and 6 to 1 agst Grey Pilot.

AT CATTERICK BRIDGE.

On Wednesday, the 27th of March, a subscription plate of 50l. for horses, &c. that never won more than 50gs at any one time in plate or sweepstakes; three yr olds, 7st 10lb four yr olds, 8st 8lb five yr olds and upwardt, 8st 12lb—Mares and maiden horses allowed 3lb maiden mares, 5lb—3 mile heats.

Mr. Carter's ch c. Applegarth, by Stride, 3 yrs old 1 5 1

 Mr.

Mr. Richardson's gr. f. Lilly of the Valley, 4 yrs old 5 1 3
Mr. Gorwood's ch. c. by Stride, 3 yrs old 6 2 2
Sir T. Gascoigne's gr. c. Groaner, 4 yrs old. 3 3 5
Mr. Robson's ch. c. 3 yrs old 4 4 4
Mr. Artley's b. f. Duchess, 3 yrs old 2 dr
Mr. Fenton's b. c. Stourton, 3 yrs old (fell) dis.

Sweepstakes of 10gs each, for yearlings; colts, 8st. fillies, 7st. 11lb.—one mile. (7 subscribers)

Mr. Field's b. c. by Constitution dam by Amaranthus 1
Sir H. T. Vane's b. f. by Walnut, dam by Pontac 2
Mr. W. Peirse's b. c. by Spadille, dam by Paymaster 3
Mr. Alderson's ch. c. by Aston, out of Emigrant's dam 4
Mr. F. Hartley's b. f. Governess, by Ruler, out of Empress 5

On Thursday, the 28th, a sweepstakes of 10gs. each, for two yr old colts, 8st. 2lb. and fillies, 8st.—2 miles—11 subscribers.

Ld A. Hamilton's b. c. by Spadille, dam by Mungo, out of Maiden 1
Sir W. Gerard's b. c. by Star, bought of Mr. Linton 2
Sir H. T. Vane's ch. c. by King Fergus, dam by Young Marske and Mr. Milbanke's b. c. by Abba Thulle, dam by Orpheus, also started, but were not placed

The Star c. the favourite.

A sweepstakes of 20gs. each, for two yr old fillies, carrying 8st.—a mile and half. (6 subscribers)

Mr. Wentworth's b. f. Roxana, sister to Ambrosio by Sir Peter 1
Mr. Peirse's b. f. by Coriander, out of Rosamond 2
D. of Leeds's b. f. by Aston, dam by Drone 3
Mr. Dodsworth's b. f. by Spadille, or Young Marske, out of Benjamin's dam 4
Sir T. Gascoigne's gr. f. Maid of the Mill, by Delpini, out of Tippet 5

Sweepstakes of 10gs each, (with 20gs. added) for three yr old colts, 8st. 2lb. and fillies, 8st. three miles (5 subscribers)

Mr. Walker's b. c. Knowsley, by Sir Peter 1
Mr. Garforth's b. c. by Spadille, out of Rosalind 2
Ld A Hamilton's b. c. by Spadille, dam by Mungo 3

NEWMARKET
FIRST SPRING MEETING, 1799.

ON Monday, April 8th, Lord Stawell's f. Thrush, by Woodpecker, dam by Trentham, out of a sister to Drone, 7st 8lb beat Mr. Kingsman's ch. f. Trull, by Precipitate, dam by Highflyer, out of Teucer's dam 7st 11lb. Two yr old course, 100gs, h. ft.

3 to 1 on Thrush.

Mr. Watson's b. c. Young Magpie, by Magpie, out of Fugitive's dam, 8st beat Mr. Concannon's ch. c. Sparrowhawk, 8st 3lb R. M. 100gs. h. ft.

5 to 2 on Sparrowhawk.

A sweepstakes of 200gs each, h ft. 8st. each. Two yr old course.

Mr. R. Heathcote's b. c. Vivaldi, by Woodpecker 1
Mr. Howorth's b. c. Mouse 2
Mr. Gould's Tupp, by Javelin, out of Flavia pd ft

11 to 8 on Mouse.

The first class of a sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. by two yr old colts,

colts, 8st. 5lb. and fillies, 8st. 2lb. Across the Flat. (6 subscribers)

Sir F. Standish's b. c. brother to Spread Eagle, by Volunteer 1
Mr. Wilson's c by Buzzard, out of Calash 2
Ld Grosvenor's ch. f. by Rockingham, out of Anna, Dido's sister 3
Mr Hallett's c. by Rockingham, out of the dam of Felix 4

6 to 4 on Sir F. Standish, and 3 to 1 agst Mr. Wilson.

The main of the Oatland Stakes of 100 guineas each, Ditch-in.

Mr. Heathcote's b. c. Warter, by King Fergus, 4 yrs old, 8st 1
Mr. Turner's bl. c. Oscar, 3 yrs old, 6st 9lb 2
Mr. Cookson's b. h. Diamond, 6 yrs old, 9st 7lb. 3
Mr. Cookson's b. h. Ambrosio, 5 yrs old, 9st 7lb. pd

2 to 1 on Oscar, 4 to 1 agst Warter, and 5 to 1 agst Diamond.

Tuesday Mr. Dawson's ch. c. by Meteor, out of an Alfred mare, and Mr. Cussan's b. c. by Pegasus, out of Sweetheart, 8st each, first half of Ab. M. 50gs, 30 ft. ran a dead heat.

6 on 4 on Mr. Cussans.

A Sweepstakes of 25gs each, colts, 8st 2lb. fillies, 8st. First half of Ab. M.

Mr Golding's c. by Pegasus, out of Smallbones 1
Mr. Hallett's ch. c. Provisional, by Volunteer, out of Gnat 2
Mr. Cussan's b. f. by Pegasus, out of Gawky 3

6 to four on Provisional, and 2 to 1 agst Mr. Golding.

Fifty Pounds by subscription, for four yr olds, 7st. 9lb. five yr olds, 8st. 3lb. six yr olds, and aged, 8st. 7lb. R. C.

Mr. Cookson's b. h. Ambrosio, by Sir Peter, 5 yrs old 1
Mr. Durand's, b. c. Johnny, 4 yrs old 2
Ld Clermont's ch. h. Spoliator, 5 yrs old 3

6 to 4 on Ambrosio, 5 to 2 agst Spoliator, and 7 to 1 agst Johnny.

Mr. Adam's b. h. Bennington, by Rockingham, aged, 8st. 7lb. beat Mr. Thompson's b. c. Pensioner, 3 yrs old, 8st. A. M. 25gs.

5 to 2 on Bennington.

A sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. R. M. (5 subscribers)

Ld Oxford's ch. c. Dart, by Spear, out of a sister to Trumpator, 8st. 1lb. 1
D. of Grafton's ch. c. Vandal, 8st. 4lb. 2
Ld Grosvenor's ch. c. by Buzzard, out of Peggy Bull, 8st 1lb. 3

2 to 1 on Dart, and 3 to 1 agst Vandal.

The second class of a sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. by two yr olds, 5lb each. Across the Flat. (6 subscribers.)

Mr. Tharpe's b. c. brother to Paynator, by Trumpator 1
Ld Egremont's b. c. brother to Cameleon 2
D. of Grafton's b. c. by Trumpator, out of Fancy. 3
Mr. Bullock's c. Tupp, by Javelin 4

7 to 4 agst the D. of Grafton, 2 to 1 agst Tupp, and 3 to 1 agst Mr. Tharpe.

The Claret Stakes of 200gs each, h. ft. colts 8st 7lb fillies 8st Ditch-in — the owner of the second horse received back his stake.

Mr. Cookson's br. c. Sir Harry, by Sir Peter 1
Mr. Durand's b. f. Bellissima 2

Mr.

Mr. Baldock's br. c. Telegraph 3
Mr. R. Heathcote's b. c. Schedoni 4
Ld Grosvenor's br c. Admiral Nelson 5
Ld Grosvenor ch. f. Lady Bull 6

6 to 4 agst Admiral Nelson, 5 to 2 agst Bellissima, 6 to 1 agst Schedoni, 8 to 1 agst Telegraph, and 8 to 1 agst Sir Harry.

On Wednesday, Ld Stawell's f. Thrush, by Woodpecker, 1 yr old, 6st. beat Mr. Dawson's b. c. Roarer, 2 yrs old, 8st 7lb. Yearling Course, 50gs.

3 to 1 on Roarer.

The third class of a sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. by two yr old colts, 8st 5lb. fillies 8st 2lb. Across the Flat. (6 subscribers.)

Sir F. Standish's c. by Sir Peter, out of Horatio 1
Ld Grosvenor's b. f. by John Bull, out of Nimble 2
Ld Egremont's b. c. Raginer, by Precipitate, dam by Herod 3
Mr. Golding's br. c. by Pegasus, out of Asparagus's dam 4

6 to 4 agst Sir F. Standish, and 5 to 2 agst Mr. Golding.

Fifty pounds by subscription, for three yr olds, 7st 4lb. four yr olds, 8st 7lb. and five yr olds, 9st. D. C.

Mr. Durand's b. f. Bellissima, by Phœnomenon, 3 yrs old 1
Ld Sackville's ch c. Magic, 4 yrs old 2
Sir C. Bunbury's b. c. Wrangler, four yrs old 3
Mr. Perren's b. c. Young Javelin, three yrs old 4

7 to 4 on Bellissima, 2 to 1 agst Magic, and 6 to 1 agst Wrangler.

On Thursday, 50l. by subscription, for three yr olds, 7st 4lb. four yr olds, 8st 2lb. five yr olds, 8st 8lb. six yr olds and aged, 8st 11lb Dutton's Course. With this condition, that the winner was to be sold for 200gs, if demanded within a quarter of an hour after the race, the owner of the second horse being first entitled, &c.

Ld Clermont's ch. h. Spoliator, by Trumpator, 5 yrs old 1
Mr. Concannon's ch. c. Sparrowhawk, 3 yrs old 2
D. of Queensberry's roan c. Admiral, four yr old 3
Ld Grosvenor's ch. c. Esculus, 4 yrs old 4
Sir C. Bunbury's gr. c. Greyhound, 4 yrs old 5

Even betting on Spoliator, 5 to 2 agst Admiral, and 3 to 1 agst Esculus.

A sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. by five yr olds and upwards. D. B. (11 subscribers.)

Sir F. Standish's br. m. Parisot, by Sir Peter, 5 yrs old, 7st 5lb 1
Ld G. H. Cavendish's b. h. by Jupiter, 6 yrs old, 7st 5lb 2
Mr. Lade's Oatlands, 5 yrs old, 7st 13lb. 3
Ld Sackville's b. h. Sober Robin, 6 yrs old, 8st 4
Ld Clarendon's g. High Eagle, aged, 6st 8lb 5
Ld Clermont's b. h. Aimator, aged 6st 2lb 6
Mr. Heathcote's gr. h. Opposition, 5 yrs old, 7st 7lb 7

2 to 1 agst Opposition, 5 to 2 agst Aimator, and 5 to 4 that one of those two won—5 to 1 agst Parisot, and 7 to 1 agst Ld G. H. Cavendish.

Mr. Cussan's b. c. Young Spear, by Javelin, 3 yrs old, 7st 7lb. beat Mr. Adams's b. h. Bennington, aged, 8st 7lb. Clermont Course, 50gs, h. ft.

5 to 4 on Young Spear.

The King's Plate of 100gs, for four

four yr olds, carrying 11st five yr olds, 11st 9lb. six yr olds and aged, 12st. R. C.

Mr. Cookson's b. h. Diamond, by Highflyer, 6 yrs old 1
Mr. Lade's gr. c. Grey Pilot, 4 yrs old 2
Mr. Vernon's b. c. Lounger 4 yrs old 3
Ld Darlington's b. h. St. George, aged 4

11 to 10 agst Diamond, 3 to 1 agst Lounger, and 3 to 1 agst Saint George.

On Friday, D. of Grafton's ch. f. Duck, by Trumpator, out of Bounty, 2 yrs old, 6st. beat Sir C. Bunbury's ch. c. Combatant, 3 yrs old, 8st. 12lb. R. M. 25gs.

11 to 10 on Duck.

The King's plate of 100gs for five yr old mares, 10st. R. C.

Mr. Garforth's ch. m. Caroline, by Phœnomenon 1
Sir F. Standish's br. m. Parisot 2
Ld Oxford's b. m. Lilly 3

Even betting on Caroline, 6 to 4 agst Parisot, and 5 to 1 agst Lilly.

On Saturday, Mr. Watson's b. c. Young Magpie, by Magpie, beat Mr. Concannon's ch. c. Sparrowhawk, 7st. 13lb. each, R. M. 100gs, h. ft.

10 to 6 on Young Magpie.

Mr. Thompson's b. c. Pensioner, by Dungannon, 7st. 10lb. beat Mr. Cussan's b. c. Young Spear, 8st. 1lb. R. M. 25gs.

5 to 4 on Pensioner.

Mr. R. Heathcote's b. c. Schedoni, by Pot8o's, 3 yrs old, 8st. beat Sir F. Standish's br. c. Stamford, 4 yrs old, 8st. 9lb. Across the Flat, 300gs, 200 ft.

13 to 8 on Schedoni.

A handicap sweepstakes of 15gs each, A. B. M.

Mr. Golding's b. c. Boaster by Dungannon, out of Asparagus's dam, 3 yrs old, 8st. 1
Mr. Watson's c. Young Magpie, 3 yrs old, 8st 2lb, 0
Sir C. Bunbury's ch. c. Combatant, 3 yrs old, 8st. 0
Mr. Bullock's b. f. Madona, 4 yrs old, 7st. 10lb. 4
D. of Queensberry's roan c. Ad. four yrs old, 8st 12lb. 5

2 to 1 agst Young Magpie, two to 1 agst Combatant, 7 to 2 agst Boaster, 4 to 1 agst Admiral, and 5 to 1 agst Madona.

Mr. Cookson's br. c. Razor, by Trumpator, 4 yrs old, 7st 13lb. beat Mr. R. Heathcote's gr. h. Opposition, 5 yrs old, 9st. Two yr old course, 50gs.

11 to 1 on Razor.

EXTRA SPORTING.

NEWMARKET JULY MEETING, 1799.

ON Monday, Mr. Concannon's Sparrowhawk, 8st. 7lbs. agst Ld Burford's b. f. Combustible, by Balloon, 7st 2lb. R. M. 100gs, h. ft.

BRIGHTON, 1799. FIRST DAY.

Mr. Howorth's Mouse, 8st. agst Ld Egremont's Raginer, 7st. 12lb. New Course, 100gs, h. ft.

OATLAND STAKES.

To be run at Ascot, on the first day, 1799, a subscription of 20gs each, for horses of all ages, two yr olds excepted. Five guineas forfeit only, if declared before noon on the Tuesday, in the Second Spring Meeting. To run the two-mile course.

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The horses to be named at the Coffee House, Newmarket, by twelve o'clock at noon, on Wednesday in the First Spring Meeting, and the weights to be fixed by the Stewards of the Jockey-club, or whom they may appoint, on or before the Saturday following.

Twenty guineas will be given for the second horse, by the Steward. Four subscribers to remain after the forfeits are declared, or no race.

NEWMARKET FIRST OCTOBER MEETING, 1799.

Monday, the main of the three classes, (run for in the first Spring Meeting) 100gs each, Ditch-in.

	st.	lb.
Sir F. Standish's brother to Spread Eagle	8	5
Sir F. Standish's c. by Sir Peter, out of Horatio	8	5
Mr. Tharpe's brother to Paymaster	8	5
Mr. Wilson's c. by Buzzard, out of Calash	8	2

Mr. R. Heathcote's Vivaldi, 8st 5lb. agst Mr. Howorth's c. Pet, by Buzzard, out of a sister to Druid, 6st 12lb. Across the Flat, 100gs h. ft.

CRAVEN MEETING.

Monday, Mr. Cookson's Sir Harry, 8st. and half lb. agst Mr. R. Heathcote's Schedoni, 8st,— Across the Flat, 500gs, h. ft.

CARLISLE, 1798.

*** The Stewards of the Jockey Club have decided the dispute which took place at these Races, respecting the qualifications of Little Scot, in favour of Mr. Hutchinson.

RICHMOND RACES, 1799.

On the first day, Ld Darlington's ch. c. Raby, by Pegasus, dam by Woodpecker, against Sir H. T. Vane's gr. c. Pushforward, by Sir Peter, dam by Magnet, 8st each, three miles, 100gs each, h. ft.

YORK SPRING MEETING, 1799.

Tuesday, May 28, Mr. Wentworth's Barnaby, by Stride, 8st, 3lb. agst Mr. Dodgsworth's Sirius, by Star, 8st.—three miles, 100gs, h. ft.

Sir T. Gascoign's Timothy, 8st 3lb. agst Mr. Wentworth's Tartar, 8st—four miles, 200gs, h. ft.

Wednesday, May 29, Mr. Wentworth's Roxana, sister to Ambrosio, agst Sir C. Turner's f. by Overton, out of Hambletonia's dam, 8st. each—the last mile and half, 300gs.

Sweepstakes of 20gs each—two miles.

Ld Fitzwilliam's ch. h. Wonder, 5 yrs old, 9st.

Mr. Walker's b. c. Knowsley, 4 yrs old, 8st 5lb.

Ld A. Hamilton's ch. c. by Walnut, out of Nun, 4 yrs old, 8st 2lb.

Sir J. Leicester gr. c. Bluebeard, 4 yrs old, 8st 5lb.

Mr. Garforth's ch. c. by Coriander, out of Flora, 3 yrs old, 6st 11lb.

Mr. J. Robinson's b. c. Abraham Newland, by Overton, out of Palmflower, 3 yrs old, 6st 11lb.

Sir T. Gascoign's gr. f. by Delpini, out of Tippet, 3 yrs old, 6st. 8lb.

RACES TO COME, AS FOLLOWS.

May	6	Chester.
	8	Epsom.
	14	Guildford.
	15	Manchester.
	28	York.
	28	Ascot Heath.
June	25	Stamford.
Aug.	20	Canterbury.
Sept.	3	Egham.
	10	Litchfield.

NEWMARKET
SECOND SPRING MEETING.

MONDAY, APRIL 22.

[N. B. The horses, with respect to their ages, are considered as if this Meeting had fallen in May.]

A Sweepstakes of 50gs each, h. ft. Ab. M.

Mr. Watson's c. Young Magpie, by Magpie, 7st. 13lb. 1
Mr. Cookson's b. c. Speculator, 7st. 13lb. 2
Mr. Cussan's b. c. Young Spear, 8st. 1lb. 3

5 to 4 on Speculator, 7 to 4 agst Young Magpie, and 4 to 1 agst Young Spear.

Fifty pounds, for three yr olds, 6st. 2lb. four yr olds, 8st. five yr olds, 8st. 7lb. six yr olds and aged, 8st. 12lb. Two middle miles of B. C.—With this condition, that the winner was to be sold for 100gs if demanded within a quarter of an hour after the race, the owner of the second horse being first entitled, &c.

Mr. Concannon's ch. c. Sparrowhawk, by Falcon, 4 yrs old 1
Mr. Broadhurst's b. c. Invalid, 4 yrs old 2
Mr. Goodison's b. g. by Fidget, 5 yrs old 3

Mr. Golding's ch. f. Pigeon, (late Duck) 3 yrs old; Mr. Howorth's b. h. Repeater, aged; Ld Sackville's ch. c. Commodore, 5 yrs old; Ld Oxford's b. m. Lilly, 6 yrs old; and Mr. Watson's b. h. Trumpeter, 6 yrs old; also started, but the judge could only place the first 3.

3 to 1 agst Lilly, and 4 to 1 agst Sparrowhawk.

Mr. Watson's c. Young Magpie, by Magpie, 8st. 2lb. rec. 40gs from Mr. Heathcote's f. by Dragon, out of Teucer's dam, 7st. 3lb. Across the Flat, 100gs, h. ft.

Mr. Howorth's f. Bhegum, by the Woburn Arabian, out of Cælia, 7st. 2lb. recd. ft. from Mr. R. Heathcote's c. by Pot8o's, out of Sylph, 8st. First half of Ab. M. 100gs, h. ft.

Mr. R. Heathcote's b. c. Schedoni, by Pot8o's, 8st. 5lb. recd. ft. from Sir F. Standish's Split Pigeon, 8st. Across the Flat, 300gs, h. ft.

Tuesday Mr. Howorth's c. Pet, by Buzzard, 3 yrs old, 6st. 7lb. beat Mr. Lake's c. by Precipitate, 4 yrs old, 8st. 2lb. Ab. M. 50gs.

Even betting.

Mr. Howorth's ch. h. Spoliator, by Trumpator, 8st. beat Ld Darlington's St. George, 8st. 11lb.—First three miles of B. C. 200gs, h. ft.

6 to 5 on Spoliator.

A subscription plate of 50l. for three yr old colts, 8st. 4lb. fillies, 8s. 2lb. R. M.

D. of Grafton's b. c. Rebel, brother to Razor, by Trumpator 1
Ld Clermont's br. c. Carlo 2
Sir F. Standish's br. c. by Sir Peter, out of Storace 3
Mr. Heathcote's ch. f. by Dragon 4
Mr. Ladbroke's ch. c. Moonshine, by Precipitate, out of Nightshade 5
Mr. F. Baker's bl. f. by Spectre 6

11 to 8 on Sir F. Standish, and 3 to 1 agst Rebel.

A sweepstakes of 15gs each; colts, 8st 3lb. fillies, 8st. First half of Ab. M. A winner carrying 4lb. extra.

Ld Stawell's b. f. Thrush, by Woodpecker, (4lb. extra) 1

Mr. Howorth's f. Bhegum, by the Woburn Arabian 2
Mr. Panton's f. by Escape, out of Young Camilla 3
Mr. Ladbroke's f. Flounce, by Precipitate 4

13 to 8 agst Thrush, and 13 to 8 agst Bhegum.

Wednesday Mr. R. Heathcote's b. c. Vivaldi, by Woodpecker, 3 yrs old, 7st 1lb. beat Mr. Adams's f. Cypress, 4 yrs old, 8st 4lb. Ab. M. 200gs, h. ft.

3 to 1 on Vivaldi.

A sweepstakes of 50gs each; colts, 8st. 3lb. fillies, 8st First half of Ab. M.

Ld Clermont's bl. c. by Trumpator, out of Nerina 1
Mr. Howorth's b. f. Tarantula, by Dragon, out of a sister to Portia 2
Mr. Panton's b. c. by Trumpator, bought of Mr. Vernon 3
Mr. Kingsman's ch. f. Trull 4
Mr. R. Heathcote's c. by Pot-8o's, out of Sylph pd

7 to 4 on Ld Clermont.

Mr. R. Heathcote's b. c. Vivaldi, by Woodpecker, 7st. beat Mr. Adams's Bennington, 8st 12lb. Ab. M. 100gs, h. ft.

6 to 5 on Vivaldi.

Mr. Howorth's b. c. Mouse, by Creeper, 3 yrs old, 5st 12lb beat Mr. R. Heathcote's b. c. Schedoni, 4 yrs old, 9st 2lb R. M. 300gs, h. ft.

7 to 4 on Schedoni.

The Jockey Club Plate of 50gs, for four yr olds, carrying 7st 2lb. five yr olds, 8st. 3lb. six yr olds, 8st 9lb. and aged, 8st 11lb. B. C.

Mr. Cookson's b. h. Diamond, by Highflyer, aged 1
Sir F. Standish's br h. Stamford, 5 yrs old 2
Mr. Vernon's b. h. Lounger, 5 yrs old 3

2 to 1 on Diamond, 3 to 1 agst Lounger, and 7 to 2 agst Stamford.

Thursday, Mr. Adams's b. h. Bennington, by Rockingham, aged, beat Mr. R. Heathcote's b. h. Trumpeter, 6 yrs old, 8st each, R. M. 25gs.

2 to 1 on Bennington.

A sweepstakes of 25gs each.—Across the Flat.

Ld Sackville's ch. h. Commodore, by Volunteer, 5 yrs old, 6st 13lb 1
Mr. Wyndham's ch. c. Gohanna, aged, 7st. 11lb. 2
D. of Grafton's b. h. Rattle, 6 yrs old, 8st. 3

7 to 4 on Gohanna, 5 to 2 agst Commodore, and 5 to 1 agst Rattle.

Mr. Cookson's b. c. Speculator, by Dragon, 4 yrs old, 7st 2lb beat Ld Sackville's b. h. Sober Robin, aged, 8st. 9lb. Across the Flat, 50gs.

7 to 4 on Sober Robin.

A sweepstakes of 15gs each, by three yr olds, R. M.

Sir F. Standish's c. by Sir Peter, out of Storace, 8st. 2lb. 1
Mr. Cookson's b. c. Mouse, 8st 2lb 2
Mr. Howorth's c. Pet, 7st 2lb 3
Mr. Panton's gr. c. by Falcon, 7st 11lb 4
Ld Clermont's br. c. by Drumator, 8st 5

3 to 1 agst Pet, 3 to 1 agst Ld Clermont, 4 to 1 agst Sir F. Standish, and 4 to 1 agst Mouse.

A subscription handicap plate of 50l. for four yr olds and upwards, Ditch-in.

Mr. Cookson's b. c. Speculator, by Dragon, 4 yrs old, 6st. 1

Mr.

Mr. Girdler's b. c. by Escape, 4 yrs old, 6st. 3lb 2
Mr. Vernon's b. h. Lounger, 5 yrs old, 8st 1lb 3
Sir C. Bunbury's b. h. Wrangler, 5 yrs old, 8st 1lb 4
Mr. Bullock's b. m. Madona, 5 yrs old, 6st 5
Sir F. Standish's br. m. Parisot, 6 yrs old, 8st 7lb 6
Ld Clermont's b. h. Aimator, aged, 8st 7lb 7

5 to 2 agst Mr. Girdler, 7 to 2 agst Speculator, 4 to 1 agst Lounger, and 6 to 1 agst Wrangler.

A sweepstakes of 15gs each, by two and three yr olds. First hulf of Ab. M.

Mr. Panton's gr. c. by Falcon, 3 yrs old, 8st. 10lb. 1
Ld Clermont's b. c. by Meteor, 3 yrs old, 9st 2
Mr. Ladbroke's f. Flounce, 2 yrs old, 5st 9lb 3
Mr. Bullock's b. c. Sabre, 3 yrs old, 8st 5lb 4
Mr. Golding's b. c. by Volunteer, 2 yrs old, 6st 7lb 5

2 to 1 agst Mr. Panton, 5 to 2 agst Sabre, and 3 to 1 agst Mr. Golding.

Mr. Cookson's b. c. Speculator, by Dragon, 7st 4lb. recd 41gs and an half, from Mr. R. Heathcote's gr. h. Opposition, 9st Two yr old Course, 50gs.

AT DURHAM.

ON Tuesday, April the 23d, the Lambton Hunt Sweepstakes of 5gs each, for hunters, not thorough bred, and that were never trained, 12st—2-mile heats. (10 subscribers)

Mr. J. D. Nesham's b. g. Houghton 2 1 1
Sir T. Liddell's br. g. Refuse (fell) 1 dis

None of the plates were run for.

A main of cocks was fought between Sir H. T. Vane, Bart. and Wm Fenwick, Esq. which was won by the former 20 battles to 14. Of the byes, 5 were won by Sir Harry, and 6 by Mr. Fenwick.

AT BROCKET HALL, HERTS.

ON Thursday, May the 2d, 50l. for all ages; three yr olds, 6st 5lb. four yr olds, 8st. 2lb. five yr olds, 8st. 12lb. six yr olds, and aged, 9st 3lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb. Heats, about two miles and a quarter.

Mr. Bullock's Oscar, by Saltram, 4 yrs 1 1
Sir C. Bunbury's Combatant, 4 yrs old 2 2
Mr. Bowes's Sadler, 5 yrs old 3 3

A sweepstakes of 10gs each, for hunters, the property of the subscribers, rode by gentlemen, 12st. each. (12 subscribers)

Mr. Bowes's Cudgeller 1 1
Mr. Lamb's Assassin 2 2
Mr. Delme's b. m. by Escape 3 3
Mr. Hale's Black Hatfield 5 4
Mr. T. Brown's Mineral 4 5

Ld Burford's Deceit, beat Mr. Smith's grey mare, 9st 7lb each, twice round the course, 25gs.

Friday 50l. for horses that never started before the 2d of May, (the winner of a plate or sweepstakes on that day, carrying 7lb. extra) three yr olds, 7st. four yr olds, 8st 6lb. five yr olds, 9st 2lb. six yr olds and aged, 9st 7lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb. Heats, about a mile and quarter.

Sir C. Bunbury's b. f. Pamela, by Whiskey, 3 yrs old 2 1 1
Mr. Bowe's Cudgeller 1 2 2

Ld Burford's f. by Balloon, 3 yrs old 3 dr
Mr. Lamb's gr. f. by Magpie, out of Mirian, 4 yrs old, (ran out of the course) 4 dis
Lady Salisbury's Hatfield 5 dr

Sweepstakes of 5gs each, rode by Gentlemen, 11st. 7lb.—two-mile heats. (14 subscribers)

Mr. Clifton's Weymouth	1	1
Mr. T. Bowes's Mineral	3	2
Mr. Lamb's Hermia	2	3

Sweepstakes of 2gs each, wt for age; the winner to be sold for 20gs if demanded, &c.—2-mile heats. (17 subscribers).

Mr. Bowe's Vestal, aged—walked over.

Saturday, handicap plate of 50l.—heats, about a mile and quarter.

Mr. Bullock's Madona, by Javelin, six yrs old, 8st 2lb	1	1
Sir C. Bunbury's Combatant, 4 yrs old, 8st. 8lb.	2	2
Mr. Lamb's Hermia, aged, 6st. 10lb.	3	3

Ld Melbourn's Weymouth, 9st. 8lb, beat Mr. Bowes's Vestal, 9st. 3lb—the last quarter of a mile, 10gs.

AT CHESTER.

ON Monday, May the 6th, 50l. for all ages—4 mile heats.

Mr. Bayley's ch. h. Conon, by Young Marske, 5 yrs old	1	1
Mr. Richardson's gr. m. Lilly of the Valley, 5 yrs old		dis
Mr. Gorwood's ch. c. Alderman, 4 yrs old		dis
Captain Pigot's b. c. Little Pet 3 yrs old		dis

Lilly of the Valley was thrown down by a horse that had got loose into the course—the other three, in endeavouring to avoid her, got on the wrong side of the post, which caused two of them to be distanced.

Sweepstakes of 15gs each, for maiden horses, three yr olds, 6st. 3lb. four yr olds, 8st. five yr olds and upwards, 8st. 7lb. Mares allowed 3lb. two miles. (13 subscribers)

Mr. Massey's b. c. by Soldier, dam by Woodpecker, out of Indiani, 4 yrs old 1
Major Cathcart's ch. m. Rosalind, by Volunteer, 5 yrs old 2
Sir E. Lloyd's b. f. Sabrina, by John Bull, 4 yrs old 3
Sir W. W. Wynn's b. c. Will with a Wisp, by Meteor, 3 yrs old 4
Mr. Corbet's b. c. Ploro, by Dungannon, 4 yrs old 5
Mr. Heming's ch. c Fugelman, by Soldier, out of Hebe 6
Mr. Bryan's b. c. Goliah, by Windlestone 7
Ld Clarendon's b. c. brother to Recruit, 4 yrs old; Mr. G. Brooke's b. c. Little Skirmish, by Delpini, 3 yrs old; Mr. Lockley's b. c. Robin Red-breast by Sir Peter, out of Wren, 3 yrs old; Mr. Tarleton's br. m. by Escape, 5 yrs old; and Capt. Pigot's b. c. Little Pet, by Volunteer, dam by Imperator, 3 yrs old, also started, but the judge could only place the first 7.

On Tuesday, the 7th, a maiden plate of 50l. for all ages; 3 yr olds a feather; four yr olds, 7st. 6lb. 5 yr olds 8st 6lb 6 yr olds 8st 9lb. and aged, 8st 12lb. mares allowed 3lb—4-mile heats

Mr. Carr's b. c. Laborie, by Delpini, 4 yrs old	1	1
Mr. Simpson's br. m. Spinner, 6 yrs old	2	2
Mr. Richardson's b. c. Goliah, 4 yrs		dis
Major Cathcart's ch. m. Rosalind, 5 yrs		dis

Major

Major Williams's bl. f. Crotchet, 4 yrs dis

On Wednesday, the 8th, 50l. given by the Members for the City, for 3 and 4 yr olds; three yr old colts, 6st. 8lb. fillies, 6st. 6lb. four yr old colts, 8st. 4lb. fillies, 8st. 1lb. 2-mile heats.

Mr. Carr's b, c. Laborie, 4 yrs old 1 1
Mr. G. Brooke's b. c. by Soldier, 4 yrs old 2 2
Sir E. Lloyd's b. f. Sabrina, 4 yrs old 6 8
Mr. Heming's ch. c. Fugelman, 3 yrs old 3 4
Mr. Wynne's ch. f. by Revenge, 4 yrs old 4 5
Capt. Pigot's b. c. Little Pet, 3 yrs old 5 dr
Mr. Corbet's ch. f. Bona Roba, 3 yrs old, (ran on the wrong side a post) dis

Sweepstakes of 20gs each, for horses, the property of the subscribers; three yr olds, 6st. four yr olds, 8st five year olds, 8st 10lb. six yr olds, 9st 2lb. and aged, 9st, 5lb. two miles. (9 subscribers)

Sir W. W. Wynn's b. c. Caper, by Meteor, 4 yrs old 1
Captain Pigot's gr. h. Black George, 5 yrs old 2
Sir T. Mostyn's b. f. Hedera, by Creeper, 3 yrs old 3
Mr. Lockley's br. h. Hipswell, 5 yrs old 4

On Thursday the 9th, a gold cup, given by Earl Grosvenor; three yr olds, a feather; four yr olds, 7st. 5lb. five yr olds, 8st, 2lb six yr olds, 8st. 11lb and aged, 9st. 1lb. Mares allowed 3lb.—4 mile heats.

Sir W. W. Wynn's b. c. Caper, 4 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Bayley's ch. h. Conon, 5 yrs old 3 2
Major Cathcart's b.g. Wirley, aged 2 dr

On Friday, the 9th, the Ladies Purse of 50l. for all ages; three yr olds, a feather; four yr olds, 7st. 5lb. five yr olds, 8st. 5lb. six yr olds, 8st. 12lb. and aged, 9st. 2lb. Mares allowed 3lb. A winner of one 50l. plate, carrying 3lb. of two, 5lb. and of more, 8lb. extra.—4 mile heats.

Mr. Gorwood's ch c. Alderman by Stride, 4 yrs old 1 1
Sir W. W. Wynn's Will with a Wisp, 3 yrs old 2 2
Mr. Hemming's b. c. Cadet, 4 yrs old 3 3

The second year of a sweepstakes of 20gs each, for three yr old colts, 7st 10lb and fillies, 7st 7lb.—once round. (3 subscribers)

Sir W. W. Wynn's b. c. Will with a Wisp, by Meteor, dam by Trumpator 1
Mr. Massey's b. c. by Soldier 2
Mr. Corbet's br. c. Vanguard, by Young Eclipse 3

A main of cocks was fought between the gentlemen of Cheshire, (Dodd, feeder) and the gentlemen of Shropshire, (Wilkinson, feeder) which was won by the latter, 23 battles to 7. Of the byes, each party won 6.

AT MIDDLEHAM.

On Wednesday, the 8th of May, a sweepstakes of 10gs each, for three yr old colts, 8st and fillies, 7st 12lb two miles. (6 subscribers)

Mr. Alderson's gr c. by Delpini, dam by Young Marske 1
Mr. Field's b. c. by Aston, dam by Le Sang 2
Ld A. Hamilton's b. c. by Spadille, dam by Mungo 3
Sir H. Williamson's ch c. by Rockingham, dam by Eclipse 4
Mr. Peirse's ch f. by Coriander, out of Rosina 5

Sweepstakes

Sweepstakes of 10gs each, with 20l. added by the town, for all ages; three yr olds, 5st 10lb four yr olds, 7st 7lb five yr olds, 8st 5lb six yr olds, 8st 12lb and aged, 9st. Mares allowed 3lb—2-mile heats (3 subscribers)

Col. Hamilton's ch h. Master Robert, by Star, 6 yrs old 1 1
Mr. W. Harrison's b. h. by Trumpator, 6 yrs old 2 2
Sir H. Williamson's h. Sloven, by Alexander, 5 yrs old 4 3
Mr. Dodsworth's b. m. Ænigma 5 yrs 3 dr

On Thursday, the 9th, 50l. for three and four yr olds, that never won above 50l. at any one time, nor above two fifties: three yr olds, 7st 8lb and four yr olds, 8st 10lb. Fillies allowed 2lb. A winner of one 50l. to carry 3lb extra, of two, 5lb.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Alderson's gr c. by Delpini, 3 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Carter's c. Applegarth, 4 yrs old 2 2
Sir H. Williamson's c. Honeycomb, 4 yrs old 3 3

AT EPSOM.

[Mares and geldings allowed 3lb. for all the Plates.]

ON Wednesday, the 8th of May, 50l. for four yr olds, 7st 8lb five yr olds, 8st 7lb six yr olds, 8st 13lb and aged, 9st 2lb 3- mile heats.

Mr. Durand's b. h. Johnny, by King Fergus, 5 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Henwood's b. h. Partner, six yrs old 2 dr

Thursday, the first year of a renewal of the Derby Stakes of 50gs each, h. ft for three yr old colts, 8st 3lb and fillies, 8st.—the last mile and half. (33 subscribers)

N. B. The owner of the second horse received 100gs out of the stakes.

Sir F. Standish's c. Archduke, by Sir Peter Teazle, out of Horatio 1
Ld Egremont's b. c. by Precipitate, dam by Highflyer, out of Chanticleer's dam 2
Sir F Standish's b. c. brother to Spread Eagle 3
Mr. R. Heathcote's b. c. Vivaldi 4

Mr. Cookson's b. c. Expectation, by Sir Peter, out of Zilia; Mr. Wilson's b. c. by Buzzard, out of Calash; D. of Grafton's ch c. Vandal; Ld Grosvenor's ch c. by Pot8o's, out of Shipton's sister; Mr. Waller's ch c. by Sattellite, out of Isabella, by Shark; Mr. Phillips's ch c. Dart; and Mr. Lake's c. by Sir Peter, out of the Yellow Mare; also started, but four only were placed by the judge.

Even betting on the brother to Spread Eagle agst the field, 7 to 2 agst Ld Grosvenor's colt, 8 to 1 agst Vivaldi, 10 to 1 agst Mr. Wilson, 12 to 1 agst Archduke, and 17 to 1 agst Ld Egremont.

Mr. Hay's br g. Oliver, by Pot8o's, aged, 10st. beat Major Leigh's b. g. Bumper, aged, 9st 7lb.—two miles, 50gs, h. ft.

Mr. Hay's Oliver, aged, beat Mr. Whaley's b. c. Woodcock, 4 yrs old, 8st 7lb each.—two miles, 50gs.

Fifty Pounds, for horses that had not won more than one 50l. plate since the first of March, 1798; four yr olds, 7st 4lb five yr olds, 8st 6lb six yr olds, 9st and aged, 9st 3lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Durand's b. h. Play or Pay, by Ulysses, aged 1 1
Mr. Palmer's b. g. Cassino, (late Yeoman) aged 2 2

Mr.

Mr. Hay's bl. h. Midnight, aged 3 dr

Friday, the first year of a renewal of the Oak's Stakes of 50gs each, h. ft. for three yr old fillies, carrying 8st.—the last mile and half—(24 subscribers)

Ld Grosvenor's ch. f. Bellina, by Rockingham, out of Anna 1
Mr. Phillip's b. f. sister to Hermione 2
Mr. G. Crompton's b. f. St. Ann, sister to Prior 3
Mr. Durand's b. f. Polly Baker, by Whiskey, out of America 4

11 to 8 agst St. Ann, 11 to 4 agst Bellina, and 4 to 1 agst the sister to Hermoine.

Mr. Harris's br. c. Delpini, by Dungannon, out of a sister to Noble, beat Mr. Bullock's Tup, (who fell in running) 8st. each—the last mile, 100gs.

Fifty Pounds, for three yr olds, 7st. 7lb. and four yr olds, 8st. 10lb.—The winner of a plate or sweepstakes in 1799, to have carried 4lb. extra—2-mile heats.

Mr. Durand's bl. f. Princess, by Sir Peter, 3 yrs old	1	1
Ld Grosvenor's b. c. Popgun, by Meteor, out of Leveret 3 yrs old	5	2
Mr. Harris's br. c Delpini, 3 yrs old	3	3
Ld Donegall's b. c. Antrim, (late Young Javelin) 4 yrs old	2	4
Mr. Panuwell's b. c. by Rockingham, 3 yrs old	4	dr

Saturday, the second and last year of the Woodcot Stakes of 30gs each, for two yr old colts, 8st. and fillies, 7st. 12lb.—the last half mile (8 subscribers)

Mr. Dawson's ch. c. Jack-a-Lantern, by Meteor 1
Mr. Golding's b. c. by Pegasus, out of Small Bones 2
Ld Egremont's b. f. by Woodpecker, out of Camilla 3
Ld Clermont's bl. c. by Trumpator, out of Nerina 4
Mr. Durand's br. c. Prince, by Trumpator, dam by Dungannon 5

7 to 4 agst Ld Egremont, 3 to 1 agst Mr. Golding, 7 to 2 agst Ld Clermont, and 8 to 1 agt Jack-a Lantern.

Sweepstakes of 10gs each, 80 ft.—the last mile and quarter; 8st. each.

Sir C. Bunbury's b. f Pamela, by Whiskey 1
Ld Clermont's f. by Trumpator, out of a sister to Royalist 2
Mr. Concannon's f. Countess, by Sir Peter, out of Fame 3

Ld Clermont the favourite.

Mr. Hay's bl. h. Midnight, brother to Minos, aged, 11st. beat Mr. Warrington's br. h. Brown George, by Drone, dam by Alexander, 6 yrs old, 9st.—three miles, 50gs.

AT GUILDFORD.

ON Tuesday, the 14th of May, his Majesty's plate of 100gs, for four yr olds, 10st. 4lb. five yr olds, 11st. 6lb. six yr olds, 12st. and aged, 12st. 4lb.—4 mile heats.

Mr. Blagrave's ch. c. Ballinamuck, by Pegasus, 4 yrs old	1	2	1
Mr. Lade's gr. h. Truss, 5 yrs old	3	1	2
Ld Egremont's David de Strathbrogue, by Woodpecker, 4 yrs old	2	dr	
Mr. Palmer's Cassino, (late Yeoman) aged	dis		

(To be continued.)

INTELLIGENCE EXTRA.

NEWMARKET JULY MEETING, 1799.

MONDAY, Mr. Howard's Speculator, 7st 6lb agst Mr. Cussan's Young Spear, 6st 13lb Ab. M. 100gs, h. ft.

Tuesday, Mr. Howorth's f. Tarantula, by Dragon, out of a sister to Portia, 7st 4lb. agst Mr. Cussan's f. My Lady Skirmish, by Pegasus, out of Gawkey, 7st—two-yr old course, 50gs, h ft.

Thursday, Mr. Cussan's Spoliator, 8st 8lb agst Mr. Howard's Speculator, 7st 7lb Ditch-in, 50gs, h. ft.

SECOND OCTOBER MEETING.

Monday, Mr. R. Heathcote's Vivaldi, 7st 12lb agst Mr. Cookson's Mouse, 7st 3lb. Across the Flat, 100gs, h ft.

CRAVEN MEETING, 1800.

Tuesday, a sweepstakes of 100gs each, h ft. 8st each, Ab M.

Ld G. H. Cavendish's c. by Competitor, out of his Highflyer mare.

Mr. Watson's f. by Trumpator, out of a sister to Seagull.

Mr. R. Heathcote's ch. f. by John Bull, out of a sister to Druid.

FIRST SPRING MEETING, 1800.

Monday, a sweepstakes of 50gs each, colts, 8st fillies, 7st 11lb—two yr old course. Those got by untried stallions, or out of untried mares, allowed 3lb.

Mr. Howorth's c. by Dragon, out of a Woodpecker mare.

Ld G. H. Cavendish's c. by Competitor, out of his Highflyer mare.

Mr. Cussan's b. f. by Volunteer, bought at Tattersall's.

D. of Grafton's c. by Grouse, (an untried stallion) out of Centinel's dam.

Mr. R. Heathcote's f. by Coriander, out of Hyperion's dam.

A sweepstakes of 60gs each, 40 ft for two yr olds, unbroke at the time of naming, 8st 3lb each, R, M.

Sir C. Bunbury's gr c. by Whiskey, out of Grey Dorimant.

Ld Clermont's b. c. by Trumpator, out of his youngest Highflyer mare, bought of Lacey.

Mr. Howorth's c. by Dragon, dam by Woodpecker, out of Heinel

Mr. Wilson's c. by Buzzard, out of Jet.

Mr. Watson's b. c. by Volunteer, out of a sister to Old Tat.

Ld Grosvenor's b. c. by John Bull, out of Nimble.

Ld Grosvenor's b. c. John Bull, out of Trifle.

Tuesday, the Claret Stakes, a sweepstakes of 200gs each, h. ft by three yr old colts, 8st 7lb fillies, 8st Ditch-in.—The owner of the second horse to receive back his stake. The nominations are sealed up, and are not to be opened till after running for the Oaks.

SUBSCRIBERS.

Sir F. Standish
Mr. Wilson
Mr. R. Heathcote
D. of Grafton
Ld Grosvenor
Sir C. Turner

BRIGHTON, 1799.

Last day, Mr. Howard's Speculator, 8st agst Mr. Cussan's Young Spear, 7st 6lb The New Course, 100gs, h ft.

AT GUILDFORD.

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ON Wedneſday, the 15th of May, the ladies plate of 50l. for three yr olds, 7ſt. 4lb. and four yr. olds, 8ſt. 7lb. Fillies and geldings allowed 2lb.—two-mile heats. The winner of a plate or ſweepſtakes carrying 3lb. extra—of two, 5lb. extra. With this condition, that the winner was to be ſold for 100gs, if demanded, &c.

Mr. Smith Panuwell's b. c. by Rockingham, dam by Trumpator, 3 yrs old	1	2	1
Mr. Durand's Polly Baker, 3 yrs old	2	1	2
Mr. Lade's b. c. by Pilot, 4 yrs old	3	3	3
Mr. Adams's br. f. Rockingham, 3 yrs old, (threw her rider)	dif		

On Thurſday, the 16th, the Members plate of 50l. for four yr olds, 7ſt 7lb. five year olds, 8ſt. 7lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. 1lb. and aged, 9ſt. 5lb.—4-mile heats. The winner of a plate or ſweepſtakes carrying 3lb extra—of two, 5lb. extra. Mares and geldings allowed 2lb. With this condition, that the winner was to be ſold for 200gs, if demanded, &c.

Mr. Durand's br. h. Play or Pay, by Ulyſſes, aged	1	1
Mr. Lade's b. h. David, 5 yrs old	2	2
Mr. Palmer's b. g. Caſſino (late Yeoman) aged	3	dif
Ld Egremont's ch. h. David le Strathbogue, 4 yrs old	dif	

On Friday, the 17th, the town plate of 50l. was not run for, only two horſes being entered.

AT MANCHESTER.

ON Wedneſday, May the 15th, a plate of 50l. for 3 and 4 yr olds; three yr old colts, 6 ſt. 7lb. fillies 6ſt. 5lb. four yr old colts, 8ſt. 3lb. fillies, 8ſt. The winner of one 50lb. in the preſent year, carrying 3lb. of two or more, 5lb. extra.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Lonſdale's ch. c. by Rockingham, out of Queen Mab, 3 years old	1	1
Mr. Carter's ch. c. Applegarth, 4 yrs old	3	2
Mr. Heming's b. c. Cadet, 4 yrs old	2	3

3 to 1 on Applegarth; and after the heat, even betting on the Rockingham colt.

On Thurſday, the 16th, a maiden plate of 50l. for four yr olds, 7ſt. 8lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 6lb. ſix yr olds and aged, 8ſt. 13lb. Mares and geldings allowed 2lb.—4-mile heats.

Ld Clarendon's br. c. brother to Recruit, by Volunteer, 4 yrs old	3	1	0	1
Mr. Reece's b. c. by Soldier, 4 yrs old	1	2	0	2
Mr. Simpſon's br. m. Spinner, 6 yrs old	2	3	dr	

3 to 1 on Mr. Reece's colt; after the firſt heat the ſame; after the ſecond and third heat, 5 to 4 on him.

A ſweepſtakes of 10gs each, for three yr olds, a feather; four yr olds, 7ſt. 8lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. and aged, 9ſt. 3lb. —four miles. (5 ſubſcribers.)

Sir Wm. Gerrard's ch. h. Garſwood, by King Fergus, 5 yrs old	1
Capt. Harriſon's b. c. Runaway, by Eſcape, 3 yrs old	2

4 to 1 on Garſwood.

On Friday, the 17th, 80l. for all ages; three yr olds, a feather; four yr olds, 7ft. 7lb. five year olds, 8ft. 7lb. fix yr olds and aged, 9ft. 1lb. The winner of one 50l. in the prefent year, carrying 3lb. extra—of two, 5lb. Mares and geldings allowed 2lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Lonfdale's ch. c. by Rockingham, 3 yrs old	1	2	1
Sir W. Gerrard's ch. h. Garfwood, 5 yrs old	4	1	2
Mr. Gorwood's ch. h. Alderman, 4 yrs old	5	3	dr
Mr. H. Sitwell's br. h. Thereabouts, aged (fell lame)	2	dif	
Mr. Barclay's b. h. Rolliker, fix yrs old	3	dif	

7 to 4 agft Garfwood, and 5 to 2 agft the colt; after the heat, 2 to 1 on the colt: and after the fecond heat, 3 to 1 on Garfwood.

A hunter's fweepftakes of 10gs each, for horfes, &c. that never won before the time of naming, 12ft each;—four miles. (7 fubfcribers.)

Mr. Hulton's b. g. by Drone, dam by Royal Slave	0	1
Mr. J. Johnfon's b. g. by Highflyer, dam by Engineer	0	2
Mr. Baker's h. Biribé, by Bofton	3	

6 to 4 on Biribé; after the dead heat, 6 to 4 on Mr. Johnfon.

During the week, a main of cocks was fought, between Sir Peter Warburton, Bart. and Windfor Hunloke, Efq. (Rigby and Walters, feeders) which was won by Mr. Hunloke, 19 battles to 8. Of the byes, 5 were won by Sir Peter Warburton, and 3 by Mr. Hunloke.

AT ASCOT-HEATH.

ON Tuefday, May the 28th, his Majesty's plate of 100gs, for hunters, which had regularly hunted with his Majefty's ftag hounds, agreeably to the articles already advertifed; four yr olds, 11ft. 2lb. five yr olds, 11ft. 9lb. fix yr olds, 11ft. 12lb. and aged, 12ft. Mares allowed 4lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Gofden's b. g. aged	1	3	1
Mr. Abby's b. g. Jack, 6 yrs old	3	1	2
Sir J. Lade's ch. h. Cranbourn, by Woodpecker, 6 yrs old	2	4	3
Mr. G. Villiers's ch. g. 4 yrs old	4	2	4

On Wednefday, the 29th, 50l. for four yr old colts, 8ft. 6lb. and fillies 8ft. 2lb. The winner of a plate in 1799, carrying 4lb.—of two or more, 7lb. extra.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Thompfon's b. c. Penfioner, by Dungannon	2	1	1
Mr. Blagrave's b. c. Sifter	1	2	2
Mr. Frogley's bl. filly	3	3	dr

Fifty pounds, for four yr olds, 7ft. 4lb. five yr. olds, 8ft. fix yr olds, 8ft. 6lb. and aged, 8ft. 9lb.—Mares allowed 3lb. The winner of one plate in 1799, carrying 4lb. of two or more, 7lb. extra—3-mile heats. The winner of this plate was to be fold for 300gs, if demanded, &c.

Mr. Lade's Oatland's, by Dungannon, 6 yrs old	3	2	1	1
Mr. M. Wilfon's Confederacy, aged	1	3	2	2
Mr. Durand's Play or Pay, aged	2	1	3	dr

On Thurfday, the 30th, 50l. for horfes, &c. belonging to huntfmen, yeoman-

yeoman-prickers, and keepers of Windſor Foreſt and Great Park, carrying 12ſt.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Holland's bl. m. Wowſki, by King Fergus, aged 1 1
Mr. Goſden's b. g. aged 2 2

A handicap plate of 50l.—Heats about two miles 124 rods each.

Mr. Hay's bl. h. Midnight, by Juſtice, aged 8ſt. 4lb. 1 1
Mr. Collet's b. c. Ratafia, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 4 2
Mr. Goodiſon's br. g. by Fidget, four yrs old, 7ſt. 9lb. 5 3
Mr. Henwood's Partner, 6 yrs old, 8ſt. 2 dr
Mr. Durand's Johnny, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 9lb. 3 dr

Mr. Walker's br. m. Bunter, by Trumpator, out of Demirep, 8ſt. beat Mr. Hall's b. m. Moggy, 8ſt. 4lb.—the laſt half of the New Mile, 50gs.

On Friday, the 31ſt, 50l. for horſes, &c. that had not won a plate, match, or ſweepſtakes, of 50l. value, in the year 1799; four yr olds, 7ſt. 9lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 5lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 11lb. and aged, 9ſt. Mares allowed 4lb. Heats, two miles and an half each. The winner of this plate was to be ſold for 200gs, if demanded, &c.

Mr. M. Wilſon's Confederacy, by Jupiter, aged 1 1
Mr. Goodiſon's br. g. by Fidget, five yrs old 2 dr

Fifty pounds, for three yr old colts, 8ſt. 2lb. and fillies, 7ſt. 12lb. The winner of a plate in the year 1799, carrying 4lb. extra.—Heats, the New Mile.

Mr. Harris's Jemmy, by Volunteer 2 1 1
Mr. Durand's Princeſs (4lb. extra) 1 2 dr

On Saturday, June the 1ſt, a handicap plate of 50l.—Heats, about 2 miles 124 rods each.

Mr. Henwood's Partner, by Snip, 6 yrs old, 8ſt 6 1 1
Mr. Hay's b. g. Oliver, aged, 7ſt. 10lb. 4 2 2
Mr. Lade's Oatlands, 6 yrs old, 8ſt. 9lb. 1 3 dr
Mr. Durand's Johnny, 5 yrs. old, 8ſt. 4lb. 2 dr
Mr. Sharp's ch. m. aged, 5ſt. 7lb. 3 dr
Mr. Collet's Ratafia, 4 yrs old, 6ſt. 9lb. 5 dr

AT YORK.

On Tueſday, May the 28th, Mr. Wentworth's Barnaby, by Stride, 8ſt. 3lb. beat Mr. Dodſworth's Sirius, 8ſt. three miles, 100gs, h. ft.

5 to 2 on Barnaby.

Mr. Wentworth's Tartar, by Phenomenon, 8ſt. beat Sir T. Gaſcoigne's Timothy, 8ſt. 3lb. four miles, 200gs. h. ft.

Even betting, and 5 to 4 on Timothy.

On Wedneſday, the 29th, Mr. Wentworth's f. Roxana, by Sir Peter, beat Sir C. Turner's gr. f. Volatile, by Overton, out of Hambletonian's dam, 8ſt. each, the laſt mile and half, 300gs.

4 to 1 on Roxana.

Sweepſtakes of 20gs each, two miles, (7 ſubſcribers)

Mr. Walker's b. c. Knowſley, by Sir Peter, 4 yrs old, 8ſt. 5lb. 1
Ld Fitzwilliam's ch. h. Wonder, 5 yrs old, 9ſt. 2
Ld A. Hamilton's ch. c. by Walnut, out of Nun, 4 yrs old, 8ſt. 2lb. 3
Sir T. Gaſcoignes's gr. f. Maid of the Mill, by Delpini, out of Tippet, 3 yrs old, 6ſt. 8lb. 4
Mr. J. Robinſon's b. c. Abraham

Newland, 3 yrs old, 6ſt. 11lb. (ran out of the courſe) 5

5 and 6 to 4 on the field agſt Knowſley.

On Thurſday, the 30th, the ſtand plate of 50l. for four yr olds, 7ſt 9lb. five yr. olds, 8ſt. 5lb. ſix yr. olds, 8ſt. 12lb. and aged, 9ſt. Fillies allowed 3lb.—four miles.

Mr. Walker's Knowſley, 4 yrs old	1
Ld A. Hamilton's b. c. by Spadille, dam by Mungo, 4 yrs old	2
Mr. Garforth's ch. m. Caroline, 6 yrs old	3
Ld Belhaven's c. h. Maſter Robert, 6 yrs old	4
Mr. Wentworth's ch. c. Barnaby, 4 yrs old	5

Mr. P. Anſon's gr. h. Little Scot, 5 yrs old, alſo ſtarted, but did not weigh after the race.

6 to 4 agſt Knowſley.

Sweepſtakes of 20gs. each, for three yr old colts, 8ſt. and fillies, 7ſt. 12lb.—the laſt mile and half. (5 ſubſcribers.)

Mr. Wentworth's ch. c. Monmouth, by Stride	1
Mr. Bethell's br. c. by King Fergus, dam by Magnum Bonum	2
Mr. Dodſworth's br. c. Carmarthen, by Weaſel, out of Miſs Cogden	3

3 to 1 on Monmouth.

Mr. Sitwell's ch. f. by Phenomenon, out of Rally, beat Sir H. T. Vane's b. f. by Walnut, dam by Pontac, 8ſt. each, from Middlethorpe Corner, in 200gs, h. ft.

5 to 4 on the Walnut filly.

On Friday, the 31ſt, 50l. for three yr. olds, and maiden horſes, &c. of a greater age; three yr olds, 6ſt. 7lb. four yr. olds, 7ſt. 8lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 4lb. ſix yr olds, and aged, 8ſt. 7lb. The winner of any ſweepſtakes this year, carrying 3lb extra. Mares and fillies allowed 2lb.—2-mile heats.

Mr. J. Robinſon's b. c. Abraham Newland, by Overton, out of Palmflower, 3 yrs old	2	1	1
Mr. Wentworth's ch. h. Tartar, 5 yrs old	1	2	3
Mr. Garforth's b. c. by Spadille, out of Roſalind, 4 yrs old	4	3	4
Ld A. Hamilton's ch. c. by Walnut, out of Nun, 4 yrs old	5	4	2
Sir H. T. Vane's gr. g. Puſh-forward, 4 yrs old	3	5	dr
Mr. L. Savile's b. f. by Creeeper, 3 yrs old	6	6	dr

6 to 4 on Tartar, and 4 to 1 agſt Newland.

On Saturday, June the 1ſt, ended the long main of cocks, between Sir H. T. Vane, Bart. and the Hon. George Germain, for 10gs each cock, and 200 the main, which was won by the former, 13 battles to 4; there was one drawn battle.

Of the byes, Mr. Germain won 9, and Sir Harry 13.

BIBURY RACES.

ON Wedneſday, May 15, 50l. by real hunters that never won 50l. and never ſtarted, paid, or received forfeit, except at Bibury, carrying 11ſt. 7lb. each, over the Burford King's Plate Courſe.

Ld Oxford's b. m. by Pot8o's, 5 yrs old	1
Mr. Græme's ch. g. Ambur, by Gay	2
Mr. Cholmondeley's b. h. Palatine, by Tandem, 6 yrs old	3
Mr. Talbot's ch. g. Caledonian, by King Fergus, 6 yrs old	4

Ld

Ld Edw. Somerſet's ch. g. Harlequin Skeleton, aged 5
H. R. H. the P. of Wales's ſiſter to Mother Bunch, aged
Ld Winchelſea's ch. m. Statira, by Alexander, 6 yrs old
Capt. Pigot's ch. h. Brigade Major, by Alexander, 6 yrs old
Ld Villier's b. h. by Alexander, 5 yrs old

The Welter Stakes, a ſubſcription of 20gs each.

Col. S. H. Lumley's br. h. by Highflyer, 6 yrs old	5	0	1	1
Ld Winchelſea's ch. m. Statira, by Alexander, 6 yrs old	0	1	2	2
Col. Groſvenor's ch. g. Morning Star, by Alexander, 5 yrs old	1	2	4	3
Mr. Windham's ch. g. Fidget, out of Portia, 5 yrs old	2	0	0	0
Mr. Cox's b. h. Flying Fiſh, by Coniac, aged	3	0	0	0
Mr. Parkhurſt's br. h. by Jupiter	0	3	6	0
Mr. Talbot's br. g. Pactolus, by Holyhock, aged	6	0	3	0
Mr. L. Brooke's ch. g. by Pot8o's, 6 yrs old	4	6	0	0
Mr. Douglas's b. h. Courier, by Dungannon, aged	0	5	0	0
Ld Milſintown's b. h. Silveſter Daggerwood, 6 yrs old	0	0	5	0
P. of Wales's ro. h. by Jupiter, 6 yrs old	0	4	0	0

Mr. Elton's br. m. Roſy, by Holyhock, aged
Mr. Buller's g. by Fortunio, 4 yrs old
Mr. Cholmondeley's b. h. Palatine, by Tandem, 6 yrs old
Ld Oxford's br. m. by Sir Edward, 5 yrs old
Mr. Lowth's br. g. Rattleſtairs, by Falcon, aged
Mr. Græme's br. h. Gunpowder, by Aſſaſſin, aged
Mr. R. Heathcote's ch. g. by Mercury, aged
Mr. Roſe Price's ch. g. by Aſſaſſin, aged
Mr. John Cooke's b. g. by Honeſty
Thirteen other ſubſcribers did not name

MATCHES.

Mr. Græme's Aſtronomer, 6 yrs old, 12ſt. agſt Col. Groſvenor's Whirlwind filly, 4 yrs old, 10ſt. 2lb. the laſt mile, 50gs. h. ft. 1 2

Major Rooke's b. g. Expectation, by Fortunio, agſt Mr. Gordon's br. h. Gib, by Flying Gib, both 6 yrs old, 12ſt. each, 4-miles, 50gs. 30 ft.

Colonel Groſvenor's b. f. by Mentor, out of Olivia, agſt Mr. Talbot's ch. f. by Skyſcraper, out of Maria, 9ſt. 5lb. each, new courſe, 25gs. 1 2

Thurſday 50l. by any horſe, &c. that never won more than 50gs at any one time, except at Bibury, carrying 12ſt. the beſt of three two-mile heats. Thoſe that never won 50l. allowed 4lb. that never ſtarted, paid, or received forfeit; and the beaten horſes for 1ſt day's plate this year, allowed 7lb.

Mr. Mill's Gib, by Flying Gib, aged	5	1	2	1
Mr. Cholmondeley's Palatine, 6 yrs old	2	5	1	2
Major Rooke's Sir Charles, by Aurelius, 6 yrs. old	1	2 dr		
Mr. Talbot's Pactolus, aged	3	3	3 dr	
Ld Oxford's b. m. by Sir Edward, 5 yrs old	4	4 dr		

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Mr. Græme's Aftronomer, aged dif

The plate given to Mr. Cholmondeley, on account of a crofs.

A fweepftakes of 25gs each.—Horfes that never won a plate or fweepftakes, 4 yrs old, 9ft. 10lb. 5 yrs old, 10ft. 6 yrs old, 11ft. 1lb. aged 11ft. 3lb. One plate or fweepftakes, 4 yrs old, 10ft. 2lb. 5 yrs old, 11ft. 2lb. 6 yrs old 11ft. 7lb. aged 11ft. 9lb. Winners of two plates or fweepftakes, 4 yrs old, 10ft. 4lb. 5 yrs old, 11ft. 4lb. 6 yrs old, 11ft. 9lb, aged 11ft. 11lb. Thofe that have won three or more, 4 yr old, 10ft, 5lb. 5 yr old, 11ft. 5lb. 6 yr old, 11ft. 10lb. and aged 11ft. 12lb. Mares and geldings allowed 2lb. Four miles.

H. R. H. the P. of Wales's Ploughator, aged - 1
Mr. Cuffan's Split Pigeon, 4 yr old - - 2
Ld Sackville's Commodore, 5 yr old
Mr. Howorth's Repeater, aged
Mr. Culling's Cha. Smith is a fubfcriber, but did not name.

A fweepftakes of 20gs each, New Courfe.

Col. Grofvenor's Meteor f. 3 yrs old, 8ft. 7lb. 1
H. R. H. the Prince of Wales's Pegafus c. 9ft. 9lb. 2
Major Rooke's Afcot, aged, 10ft. 12lb. 3

MATCHES.

Mr. Howorth's Repeater, agft Ld Milfingtown's b. h. by Mufti, 13ft. each, red poft in, 25gs. Dead heat.

Mr. Græme's Amber, 10ft. 11lb. agft Col. Grofvenor's Meteor f. 8ft. 13lb. red poft in, 25gs.

Friday, 50l. handicap, by horfes of all denominations.—Two-mile heats.

Ld Oxford's Pot8o's, 5 yrs old, 10ft. 6lb. - 1 1
Mr. Elton's Rofy, by Holyhock, aged 10ft. 12lb. 2 4
Major Rooke's Afcot, aged, 10ft. 8lb. - 3 2
Ld Milfington's Silvefter Daggerwood, 6 yrs old, 10ft. 12lb. - 4 5
Mr. Douglas's Courier, aged, 11ft. 10lb. - 5 3

A fweepftakes of 5gs each, for horfes that never won more than 100gs at any one time, except at Bibury; 4 yr olds 10ft. 7lb. 5 yr olds, 11ft. 5lb. 6 yr olds, 11ft. 12lb. and aged 12ft,—3 miles. Thofe that never won any thing, allowed 3lb. and thofe that never ftarted, paid or received forfeit, allowed 5lb.

Ld Oxford's Lilly, 6 yrs old, 11ft. 12lb. - 1
Mr. Howorth's Sparrowhawk, 4 yrs old, 10ft, 7lb. - 2
Mr. Elton's Triptolemus, aged, 12ft. - 3
Mr. Douglas's b. h, Courier, aged
Ld Sackville's Commodore, 5 yrs old
Col. Grofvenor's Morning Star, 5 yrs old
Mr. Talbot's Statira, 6 yrs old
Ld Milfingtown's Silvefter Daggerwood, 6 yrs old
Mr. Cox's Flying Fifh, aged
Mr. Græme's Amber

H. R. H. the Prince of Wales, Mr. Delme, Mr. Heathcote, Mr. Biggs, Mr. Gordon, Mr. Hartley, Mr. Pryfe, Mr. Rycroft, Mr. T. A. Smith, Mr. Rose Price, and Mr. Davy, are fubfcribers, but did not name.

Sweepftakes 10gs each, New Courfe.

Colonel Grofvenor's Rockingham - 1
Sir W. W. W.'s horfe - 2
Mr. D. Grofvenor's Silenus 3

MATCHES

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Mr. Gole's Fugitive, 4 yrs old, 9st. 7lb. agst Col. Grosvenor's Meteor filly, 3 yrs old, 8st. 5lb. 25gs 2 1

Ld Milfingtown's b. h. by Mercury, 13st. pd ft. to Mr. Smith's ch. h. by Transit, 12st. 1lb. 2 miles, 25gs.

Col. Grosvenor's Major, 11st. 7lb. beat Sir W. W. Wynne's Old Snap, 12st. New Course, 25gs.

Saturday, Major Rooke's Blackguard, 11st. 4lb. beat Mr. Mills's Gib, 11st. 2 miles, 25gs.

Sweepstakes of 15gs each, 2 miles.

Col. Grosvenor's Dannaway, 10st. 3lb. beat Mr. Rooke's Ascot, 10st. 10lb. and Mr. Talbot's Caledonian, 10st.

Handicap sweepstakes of 10gs each, 2 miles.

Col. Grosvenor's Morning Star, 5 yrs old, won, beating 11 others.

50l. by horses of all denominations, heats, the last mile.

Mr. Windham's g. Fidget, won, beating nine others.

MATCHES.

Ld Milfingtown's Silvester Daggerwood, 9st. 12lb. beat Mr. Morant's Fugitive, 9st. 2lb. last mile.

Ld Milfingtown's Mercury, beat Major Rooke's Fortunio, 13st. each, one mile, 25gs. after the second heat.

INTELLIGENCE EXTRA.

NEWMARKET SECOND SPRING MEETING, 1800.

LAST day, Mr. Cookson's Sir Harry, 8st. 3½lb. agst Mr. Baldock's Telegraph, 7st. 10½lb. Across the flat, 300gs. h. ft.

CRAVEN MEETING, 1801.

Monday, Sir F. Standish's Sister to Stamford, agst Sir Gilbert Heathcote's f. by Delpini, out of Faunus's dam, 8st. each. Across the flat, 200gs, h. ft.

CRAVEN MEETING, 1802.

Monday, Mr. Dawson's c. by Mr. Teazle, out of Rockingham's dam, 8st. 3lb. agst Mr. Cussan's f. by Dragon, out of a sister to Sting, 8st. R. M. 100gs h. ft.

FIRST SPRING MEETING, 1802.

NO DAY FIXED.—Sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. colts, 8st. 3lb. fillies, 8st. Across the Flat, when rising 3 yrs old. Those got by untried stallions, allowed 3lb.

Mr. Dawson's c. by Mr. Teazle, out of Sincerity.

Mr. Cussan's f. by Sir Peter, out of Yeoman's dam.

Ld Darlington's Star colt.

Mr. Watson's f. by Alexander, out of a sister to Nimble.

Sir F. Standish's c. or filly, by Sir Peter, out of Storace.

NEWMARKET JULY MEETING, 1799.

Monday, 50l. for 3 yr old colts, 8st. 4lb. and fillies, 8st. last mile and a distance of B. C.

To be shewn and entered at the King's Stables, on the Saturday before running, between 11 and 1 o'clock.—Entrance 4 gs.

The second and last year of the July Stakes of 50gs each, 30 ft. by 2 yr old colts, 8st. 2lb. fillies 8st. 2 yr old Course.

Ld Clermont's ch. c. by Trumpator, out of Young Doxy.

Ld Clermont's bl. c. by Trumpator, out of Nerina.

Sir C. Bunbury's b. f. by Whiskey, out of Giantess.

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D. of Grafton's b. c. by Grouse, out of a sister to Fergus.
Mr. R. Heathcote's b. c. by PotSo's, out of Sylph.
Mr. Howorth names Mr. Cussan's b. c. by Pegasus, out of Sweetheart.
Mr. Turner's b. c. brother to Young Spear.
Mr. Panton's br. c. by Buzzard, out of Crane, by Highflyer.
Mr. W. Golding's b. c. by Skyscraper, out of Brighton Belle.
Mr. W. Golding's b. c. by Pegasus, out of Smallbones.

Ld Sackville's c. by Sir Peter, out of Brown Charlotte, 8st. 3lb. agst Mr. Concannon's Countess, by Sir Peter, out of Fame, 7st. 12lb. R. M. 50 gs.

Mr. Concannon's Sparrowhawk, 8st. 7lb. agst Ld Burford's b. f. Combustible, by Balloon, 7st. 2lb. R. M. 100gs, h. ft.

Mr. Howard's Speculator, 7st. 6lb. against Mr. Cussan's Young Spear, 6st. 13lb. Ab. M. 100gs, h. ft.

Mr. Adams's Bennington, 8st. 3lb. agst Mr. R. Heathcote's Trumpeter, 7st. 10lb. R. M. 50gs. h. ft.

Sir W. Aston's c. by Trumpator, out of America, 8st. 5lb. agst Mr. Cussan's Lady Skirmish, 7st. 7lb. Across the Flat, 50gs.

Ld Darlington's Mufti, agst Mr. Wyndham's Fidget gelding, 8st. each. Across the Flat, 100gs.

Mr. Cookson's St. George, agst Mr. Cussan's Spoliator, 8st. each. Two middle miles, 100gs.

Col. Grosvenor's Biburnia, Mr. Heathcotes's ch. f. by Dragon, out of Teucer's dam, 8st. each. Ab. M. 100gs.

Tuesday Mr. Howorth's f. Tarantula, by Dragon, out of a sister to Portia, 7st. 4lb. agst Mr. Cussan's f. My Lady Skirmish, by Pegasus, out of Gawkey, 7st. Two yr old course, 50gs. h. ft.

Wednesday, Mr. Adams's Bennington, 8st. 3lb. agst Mr. R. Heathcote's Trumpeter, 7st. 10lb. Ab. M. 50gs. h. ft. the beaten horse in the match on Monday to carry 3lb. less for this.

Sir W. Aston's c. Fire, by No Pretender, 6st. 11lb. agst Mr. Cussan's f. Lady Skirmish, 6st. Across the Flat, 50gs, h. ft.

Thursday, Mr. Cussan's Spoliator, 8st. 8lb, agst Mr. Howard's Speculator, 7st. 7lb. Ditch-in, 50gs. h. ft.

SECOND OCTOBER MEETING, 1799.

Monday, Mr. Thompson's Pensioner, 8st. 10lb. agst Mr. M. Wilson's c. by Dungannon, out of Flirtilla, 3 yrs old, 8st. D. I. 100gs.

NOTTINGHAM RACES, 1799.

On Tuesday the 6th of August, his Majesty's Plate of 100gs, for horses, &c. of all ages—the best of three 4-mile heats.—4 yr olds, 10st. 4lb. 5 yr olds, 11st. 6lb. 6 yr olds, 12st. and aged, 12st. 2lb.

Hunters' Stakes of 5gs each.

Mr. Cookson's b. g. by Magog, dam by Woodpecker, 5 yrs old.
Mr. H. Sitwell's ch. h. Lilliputian, by Young Marske, 5 yrs old.
Mr. J. Johnson's b. h. by Clown, 4 yrs old.
Hon. R. L. Savile's gr. h. Sir Horatio, by Magog, 6 yrs old.
Hon. S. H. Lumley's b. h. by Highflyer, out of a sister to Calash, 6 yrs old.
Mr. Lockley's ch. m. No Cocktail, by Avern's Herod, 6 yrs old.

AT STOCKBRIDGE.

ON Tuesday, the 11th of June, 50l. given by the Members for the Borough, for horses, &c. that never won a plate of that value; three yr olds, 6st. four yr olds, 8st. five yr olds, 8st. 12lb. six yr olds, 9st. 5lb. and aged, 9st. 7lb. Mares and geldings allowed 2lb.-- 4-mile heats.

Mr. Lade's b. h. David, by Pilot, five yrs old	1	1
Mr. Ball's b. g. Badger, 5 yrs old	3	2
Mr. Dilly's br. h. Agricola, 5 yrs old	4	3
Mr. Collet's b. c. Ratafia, 4 yrs old	2	dr
Mr. Morant's b. c. 3 yrs old	5	dr

Mr. Stackpole's b. m. Fancy, by Magog, 10st. beat Capt. Fletcher's ch. m. Creeping Cereus, 10st. 5lb. for 300gs.

On Wednesday the 12th, 50l. for three yr olds, 7st. 5lb. and four yr olds, 8st. 12lb. The winner of a plate in 1799, carrying 3lb. extra. Mares and geldings allowed 2lb.— 2-mile heats.

Ld Donegall's ch. f. Bellina, by Rockingham, 3 yrs old	1	1
Mr. Smith's b. c. by Rockingham, 3 yrs old	2	2
Mr. Morant's ch. c. by Hawk, 3 yrs old	5	3
Mr. Marshal's ch. c. Hazard, 3 yrs old	3	4
Mr. Lade's gr. c. brother to David, 3 yrs old	4	dr

AT TENBURY, WORCESTERSHIRE.

ON Wednesday, the 12th of June, a maiden plate of 50l. for all ages.—3-mile heats.

Mr. Heming's ch. c. Fugleman, by Soldier, 3 yrs old, 6st.	1	2	1
Mr. Nesbitt's b. m. Cumberbzepha, 5 yrs old, 8st. 3lb.	2	1	2
Ld Oxford's br. m. by Sir Edward, 5 yrs old, 8st. 3lb.	3	3	3
Mr. Collins's b. f. Gilliflower, four yrs old, 7st. 4lb.	4	dis	

AT NEWTON, LANCASHIRE

ON Wednesday, the 19th of June, 50l. given by Thomas Brooke, Esq. for three yr old colts, 6st. 7lb. fillies, 6st. 5lb. and four yr old colts, 8st. 3lb. fillies, 8st. The winner of one 50l. in the present year, carrying 3lb. of two or more, 5lb. extra.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Alderson's gr. c. Baron Nile, by Delpini, 3 yrs old	1	1
Mr. Fenton's b. c. Stourton, 4 yrs old	4	2
Mr. G. Crompton's gr. f. Agnes, 4 yrs old	2	3
Sir E. P. Lloyd's br. f. Sabrina, 4 yrs old	3	4

A sweepstakes of 10gs each, for three yr old colts, 8st. 3lb. and fillies, 8st.—two miles. (7 subscribers.)

Sir W. Gerard's b. c. Suwarrow, by Star	1
Ld Derby's b. c. by Sir Peter	2
Mr. Bankes's b. c. Bayard, by Coriander	3
Sir T. Mostyn's b. f. by Creeper	4
Mr. Phillips's Runaway, by Escape	5

On Thursday the 20th, a maiden plate of 50l. for four yr olds, 7st. 8lb. five yr olds, 8st. 6lb. six yr olds, and aged, 8st. 13lb. Mares allowed 2lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. G. Crompton's gr. f. Agnes, by Delpini, 4 yrs old	3	1	1

Dodsworth's b. c. Sirius, 4 yrs old - 1 3 4
Mr. Simpson's br. m. Spinner, 6 yrs old 2 4 2
Mr. Richardson's b. m. Fairy, aged 4 2 3
Mr. Wynn's ch. f. Preference, 4 yrs old 5 5 5

On Friday, the 21st, 50l. given by Colonel Patten, for all ages;—three yr olds, a feather: four yr-olds, 7st. 7lb. five yr olds, 8st. 7lb. six yr olds, and aged, 9st. 1lb.—Mares and geldings allowed 2lb. The winner of one 50l. in the present year, carrying 3lb. of two or more, 5lb. extra.—4 mile heats.

Mr. Alderson's gr. c. Baron Nile, 3 yrs old 1 1
Sir W. Gerard's ch. h. Garswood, 5 yrs - 3 2
Mr. Harrison's b. h. by Trumpator, 6 yrs old 2 3
Mr. Fenton's b. c. Stourton, 4 yrs old - 4 4

AT NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE.

ON Monday, the 24th of June, a sweepstakes of 20gs each, for four yr old colts, 8st. 3lb. and fillies 8st.—four miles.—(6 subscribers.)

Sir H. Williamson's ch. c. Stripling, by Phœnomenon 1
Mr. Fletcher's gr. c. Camperdown - 2
Mr. Wentworth's ch. c. Barnaby 3
Ld Darlington's ch. c. Raby 4

A sweepstakes of 20gs each, for three yr old colts, 8st. and fillies, 7st. 11lb.—two miles. (5 subscribers.)

Mr. Hutchinson's ch. c. Alexis, by King Fergus 1
Ld Cassillis's br. c. by Coriander, out of Grog's dam 2
Mr. Cornforth's dark b. c. by Coriander - 3

On Tuesday, the 25th, his Majesty's plate of 100gs, by five yr old horses, &c. 10st. each.—3 mile heats.

Ld Darlington's b. h. Plaistow, by Alexander 5 [illegible] 1
Mr. Wentworth's ch. h. Tartar - 1 4 4
Sir T. Gascoigne's b. h. Timothy - 2 5 2
Sir H. Williamson's b. h. Sloven - 4 6 3
Mr. Linskill's gr. m. Lilly of the Valley 7 2 dr
Mr. Welburn's b. h. brother to Comet 6 3 dr
Mr. Oswald's br. h. Pentyagrule - 3 dr

Wednesday, the 26th of June, 50l. for three yr olds, 7st. 5lb. and four yr olds, 8st. 5lb. A winner of a plate this year, carrying 3lb. of two, 5lb. extra.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Field's b. c. by Aston, 3 yrs old - 1 1
Ld A. Hamilton's ch. c. by Walnut, 4 yrs old 2 2
Mr. Bell's b. f. Scaramouch, 4 yrs old - 4 3
Sir H. Williamson's Honeycomb, 4 yrs old 5 4
Mr. Wentworth's ch. c. Barnaby, 4 yrs old 3 5

A hunter's sweepstakes of 10gs each, for horses, the property of the subscribers, that never won (hunters stakes excepted) or received forfeit, carrying 12st.—Four miles. (5 subscribers.)

Mr. Baker's b. h. Biribe, by Boston - 1
Mr. Ilderton's ch. m. Creeping Kate - 2
Mr. Davidson's ch. h. Columbus - - 3
Mr. Bigge's br. h. Epicure 4

On Thursday, the 27th, 50l. for maiden horses, &c. three yr olds, 6st. 10lb. four yr olds, 8st. five yr olds,

olds, 8st. 7lb. six yr olds and aged, 8st. 10lb.—3-mile heats.

Mr. T. Hutchinson's b. c. Duncan, by Stride, 4 yrs old	2	1	1
Mr. Bamlet's b. c. Suwarrow, 3 yrs old	1	2	3
Mr. Welburn's b. h. 5 yrs old -	3	3	2
Ld A. Hamilton's b. h. by Drone, 5 yrs old	4	4	4

A gold cup, value 100gs, and the rest in specie, being a subscription of 10gs each, for three yr olds, 5st. 10lb. four yr olds, 7st. 7lb. five yr olds, 8st. 7lb. six yr olds, 8st. 12lb. and aged, 9st. Mares allowed 3lb. Four miles. (11 subscribers.)

Sir H. Williamson's ch. c. Stripling, by Phœnomenon, 4 yrs old -	1
Sir H. T. Vane's Lopcatcher, 5 yrs old -	2
Ld Darlington's ch. c. Raby, 4 yrs old -	3
Mr. Robinson's ch. m. Hippona, 5 yrs old -	4

On Friday, the 28th, 50l. for three yr olds, 5st. 10lb. four yr olds, 7st. 7lb. five yr olds, 8st. 5lb. six yr olds, 8st. 10lb. and aged, 8st. 12lb. A winner of a plate or sweepstakes this year, carrying 3lb. of two, the King's plate, or cup, 5lb. extra.—4-mile heats.

Sir H. T. Vane's b. m. Lopcatcher, by Young Marske, 5 yrs old -	1	1
Sir H. Williamson's Hambleton, aged -	3	2
Mr. I'Anson's gr. h. Little Scot, 5 yrs old -	2	3

On Saturday, the 29th, a handicap plate of 50l. for the beaten horses of the week. 2-mile heats.

Mr. Richardson's gr. m. Lilly of the Valley, by Windlestone, 5 yrs old, 8st. 5lb. -	1	2	1
Mr. Cornforth's b. c. 3 yrs old, 6st. 10lb.	3	1	2
Sir H. Williamson's b. h. Sloven, 5 yrs old, 8st. 3lb. -	2	3	3

AT WINCHESTER.

On Tuesday, the 25th of June, his Majesty's plate of 100gs, for four yr olds, 10st. 4lb. five yr olds, 11st. 6lb. six yr olds, 12st. and aged, 12st. 2lb.—four-mile heats.

Major Brereton's King Bladud, by Fortunio, aged -	5	1	1
Mr. Blagrave's ch. c. Ballinamuck, 4 yrs old	1	2	2
Mr. Lade's Grey Pilot, 5 yrs old -	2	3	3
Mr. Forth's b. m. Fancy, 5 yrs old -	3	dr	
Mr. Kerr's b. g. Cupbearer, aged -	4	dr	

On Wednesday, the 26th, the City Purse of 50l. free for any horse that did not win the King's plate this year; five yr olds, 8st. 4lb. six yr olds, 9st. and aged, 9st. 6lb. —4-mile heats.

Mr. Durand's Johnny, by King Fergus, 5 yrs old	1	1
Mr. Lade's gr. h. Will, 6 yrs old -	3	2
Mr. Fletcher's ch. m. Eliza, 5 yrs old	4	3
Mr. Abbey's ch. h. Commodore, 5 yrs old -	2	4

Fifty Pounds for three yr olds, 7st. 5lb. and four yr olds, 8st. 8lb. The winner of a plate or sweepstakes, in the year 1799, carrying 3lb. extra.—2lb. allowed to four yr olds, that never won a plate or sweepstakes.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Gordon's ch. c. Split Pigeon, by Volunteer, 4 yrs old -	1	1

Ld Donegall's b. m. Bellina, 3 yrs old - - 2 2
Mr. Lade's gr. c. brother to David, 3 yrs old 3 3

On Thursday, the 27th of June, the Ladies Purse of 50l. for maiden horses; four yr olds, 7st. 12lb. five yr olds, 8st. 7lb. six yr olds, 8st. 13lb. and aged, 9st. 2lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Collet's b. c. Ratafia, by Trumpator, 4 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Dilly's br. h. Agricola, 5 yrs old - 5 2
Mr. Ball's b. g. Badger, 5 yrs old - 2 3
Mr. Abbey's b. g. Jack, 6 yrs old - 6 4
Mr. Cole's ch. m. Florella 3 5
Mr. Lade's br. h. brother to David - 7 6
Mr. Gosden's Seasweeper, 4 yrs old - 4 7

Hunter's Plate of 50l. given by the County Members, for horses the property of resident freeholders, and that never won; wt. 12st.—3-mile heats.

Mr. Græme's ch. g. Amber, by Gay, aged 2 1 1
Mr. Lade's b. h. Young Sultan, five yrs old 1 2 2
Mr. Cozier's ch. f. by Dragon, 4 yrs old 5 3 3
Mr. Marr's br. m. Isabella, 6 yrs old 4 4 4
Mr. Leach's gr. m. aged 6 5 dr
Mr. Marshall's ch. g. Hazard, 4 yrs old 3 dr

AT STAMFORD.

ON Tuesday, June the 25th, a Sweepstakes of 20gs each, for three yr old colts, 8st. 2lb. and fillies, 8st.—having won once, carrying 3lb. twice, 5lb. thrice or more, 7lb. extra.—once round and a distance. (9 Subscribers).

Ld Grosvenor's ch. c. by Pot-8o's, out of Shipton's sister 1
D. of Grafton's ch. c. by Vandal, by Skyscraper, out of Venus - - 2
Ld Carysfort's br. f. Duplicity, by Racer - 3
Ld Fitzwilliam's b. c. Tankersley, by Sir Peter, out of Matron - 4
Sir F. Standish's c. by Sir Peter, out of Storace - 5

7 to 4 agst Sir F. Standish, 4 to 1 agst Ld Grosvenor, and 4 to 1 agst Tankersley.

Sweepstakes of 20gs each, for two yr old colts, 8st. 2lb. and fillies, 8st.—half a mile.—(7 Subscribers).

Mr. Swinfen's b. c. by Buzzard, dam by Highflyer 1
Mr. Panton's c. bought of Mr. Vernon - 2
Ld Sondes's f. by Trumpator 3
Ld Fitzwilliam's ch. f. by Overton, out of a Diomed mare 4

2 to 1 agst Ld Sondes, 2 to 1 agst Mr. Swinfen, and 3 to 1 agst Mr. Panton.

Sweepstakes of 20gs each—two miles.

Mr. Heathcote's gr. h. Opposition, by Delpini, 9st. 1
Mr. Hotchkin's ch. g. Glancer, by Diomed, 9st. 2
Sir G. Heathcote's gr. f. Topknot, 3 yrs old, a feather 3

A Maiden Plate of 50l. for three yr old colts, 8st. 2lb. and fillies, 8st.—heats, once round.

Mr. Wilson's b. c. by Buzzard (fell the first heat) - 5 1 1
D. of Grafton's ch. c. Vandal (fell the first heat) - 6 2

Mr.

Mr. Bettison's ch. c. by Erasmus - 2 3 4
Ld Fitzwilliam's b. c. by Walnut - 4 5 2
Mr. Marsden's ch. c. Sherwood, by Achilles 1 4 dr
Mr. Saile's br. c. by Racer - 3 dr
Mr. T. Fisher's b. f. Darling, by Escape - fell

On Wednesday the 26th, a Sweepstakes of 25gs each, for three yr olds—once round.—(5 Subscribers).

Mr. G. Watson's f. by Escape, 7st. 12lb. - 1
Mr. R. Heathcote's Vivaldi, 8st. 4lb. - 2
Dr. J. Willis's Sir Peter filly, out of a sister to Minimus, 8st. - - 3

4 to 1 on Vivaldi, and 10 to 1 agst the filly by Escape.

A Gold Cup of 100gs value, by Subscribers of 20gs each; the surplus paid to the winner in specie; three yr olds, 6st. four yr olds, 7st. 7lb. five yr olds, 8st. 7lb. six yr olds, 9st. and aged, 9st. 2lb. Mares and geldings allowed 4lb.—four miles.—(9 Subscribers).

Mr. J. Heathcote's Warter, by King Fergus, 5 yrs old 1
Sir G. Heathcotes's b. c. Crusade, 4 yrs old - 2
Mr. Baldock's b. c. Telegraph, 4 yrs old - 3
Mr. Swinfen's gr. c. Sejanus, 4 yrs old - 4

Even betting on Warter, and 7 to 4 agst Telegraph.

The Town Plate of 50l. for three yr olds, 6st. 12lb. four yr olds, 8st. 7lb. five yr olds, 9st. 3lb. six yr olds, 9st. 8lb. and aged, 9st 10lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—The winner of a Plate or Sweepstakes this year, carrying 4lb. extra.—Heats, twice round. The winner with his engagements was to be sold for 150gs, if demanded, &c.

Mr. Heathcote's gr. h. Opposition, by Delpini, 6 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. T. Fisher's br. f. Duplicity, 3 yrs old 2 2
Mr. Armstrong's ch. g. Little Harry, aged dis

5 to 4 on Opposition.

On Thursday the 27th, a Sweepstakes of 25gs each, for three yr old colts, 8st. 2lb. and fillies, 8st.—once round—(5 Subscribers).

Mr. R. Heathcote's Vivaldi, by Woodpecker - 1
Ld Sondes's b. f. Desperate, by Escape - 2
Ld Fitzwilliam's b. c. Tankersley (ran out of the Course).

5 to 4 on Vivaldi.

Sweepstakes of 10gs each, for three yr olds, 6st. four yr olds, 7st. 4lb. five yr olds, 8st. six yr olds, 8st. 7lb. and aged, 8st. 11lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—two miles.—(8 Subscribers).

Ld Fitzwilliam's ch. h. Wonder, by Phœnomenon, 5 yrs old 1
Mr. J. Heathcyte's Warter, 5 yrs old - 2

5 to 4 on Warter.

On Thursday the 27th of June, 50l. given by the Earl of Exeter, for four yr olds, 7st 2lb. five yr olds, 8st. 3lb. six yr olds, 8st. 11lb. and aged, 9st. The winner of one Plate this year, carrying 3lb. of two, 5lb. extra. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—heats, thrice round.

Sir G. Heathcote's b. c. Crusade, by Alexander, 4 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. Bettison's b. h. by Prince Ferdinand, 5 yrs old (fell lame) - 2 dr

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AT BRIDGNORTH.

ON Wedneſday, the 26th of June, a maiden plate of 50l. given by John Whitmore, Eſq. for all ages.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Bloſs's b. c. Agrimony, by Aſparagus, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. - 2 1 1
Mr. Saunders's ch. g. Sir Robert, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 1 2 dr
Mr. Corbet's b. m. Mary Holliday, 5 yrs old, 7ſt. 11lb. - dis

Sweepſtakes of 15gs each, for three and four yr olds; two-miles. (9 ſubſcribers.)

Mr. Peter Smith's bl. c. Sultan, by St. Paul, out of Fanny, 4 yrs old, 8ſt. 9lb. 1
Ld Stamford's b. f. Scotilla, 4 yrs old, 8ſt. 7lb. 2
Mr. Heming's ch. c. Fugelman, 3 yrs old, 7ſt. 12lb. 3
Capt. Pigot's b. c. Little Pet, 3 yrs old, 7ſt. 7lb. 4

Sweepſtakes of 10gs each, for real hunters, 12ſt.—4-miles. (5 ſubſcribers.)

Mr. Lockley's ch. m. No Cocktail, by Avern's Herod, 6 yrs old - 1
Mr. Hollyoake's b. m. Hopeleſs 2

On Thurſday, the 27th, 50l. free for any horſe, &c.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Carr's b. g. Delamere, by Highflyer, 6 yrs old, 8ſt. 9lb. - 1 1
Mr. Saunders's b. h. Marcus, 6 yrs old, 8ſt. 9lb. 2 2

Sweepſtakes of 15gs each, for all ages.—2-miles. (8 ſubſcribers.)

Ld Stamford's ch. h. George, by Dungannon, 6 yrs old, 9ſt. 1
Capt. Pigot's gr. h. Black George, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 7lb. 2
Mr. Heming's b. c. Cadet, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 12lb. 3
Mr. Lockley's br. h. Hipſwell, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 7lb. 4
Mr. Corbet's b. c. Flora, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 12lb. 5

AT PETERBOROUGH.

ON Tueſday, July the 2d, 50l. given by Earl Fitzwilliam, for maiden horſes.—4-mile heats.

No race.—Mr. Girdler's b. c. by Eſcape, 4 yrs old, being the only horſe entered, recd. the appointed premium of 10l.

Mr. Heathcote's Oppoſition, agſt Mr. Hotchken's Glancer, 12ſt. each, four miles, 50gs, h. ft. off by conſent.

On Wedneſday, the 3d, the City Plate of 50l. for three yr olds.—Heats once round.

Mr. Wilſon's b. c. by Buzzard, out of Calaſh, 8ſt. 9lb. 1 1
Ld Fitzwilliam's b. c. Tankerſley, 8ſt. 5lb. 2 2
Mr. W. Thompſon's b. c. Tea Boy, (late Pop-gun) 8ſt. 5lb. - 3 dr

On Thurſday, the 4th, the Member's Plate of 50l. for all ages.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Girdler's b. c. by Eſcape, 4 yrs old, 8ſt. 7lb. - 2 1 1
Ld Fitzwilliam's b. c. Tankerſley, 3 yrs old, 6ſt. 12lb. 1 2 2
Sir G. Heathcote's b. c. Cruſade, 4 yrs old, 8ſt. 11lb. - 3 3 dr

AT IPSWICH.

ON Tueſday, July 2d, his Majeſty's Plate of 100gs, for three yr olds, 7ſt. 11lb. and four yr olds, 9ſt.

9ſt. 5lb. Fillies allowed 3lb.—2-mile heats.

Sir F. Poole's b. c. My Brother did ſo before Me, by Pot8o's, 4 yrs old - 4 1 1
Mr. Baldock's br. c. Telegraph, 4 yrs old 1 2 2
Sir C. Bunbury's b. f. Pamela, 3 yrs old 2 dr
Ld Clermont's b. c. by Meteor, 3 yrs old 3 dr

5 to 4 on Telegraph.

On Wedneſday the 3d, 50l. for four yr olds, 7ſt. 6lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 4lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 11lb. and aged, 9ſt. The winner of a Plate in 1799, carrying 4lb. extra.—4-mile heats. With this condition, that the winner was to be ſold for 200gs, if demanded, &c.

Sir C. Bunbury's ch. c. Combatant, by Challenger, 4 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. Verelſt's br. g. Pizarro, by Magog, 5 yrs old 2 2

On Thurſday the 4th, the Town Purſe of 50l. for three yr olds, 7ſt. four yr olds, 8ſt. 8lb. five yr olds, 9ſt. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. 4lb. and aged, 9ſt. 6lb. Mares allowed 3lb. The winner of a Plate in 1799, carrying 3lb. extra.—2-mile heats.

Sir C. Bunbury's b. f. Pamela, by Whiſkey, 3 yrs old - 2 1 1
Mr. Hay's bl. h. Midnight, brother to Minos, aged - 1 2 2

5 and 6 to 4 on Pamela; after the heat, 7 to 4 on Midnight; after the ſecond heat, 11 to 5 on Pamela.

AT LUDLOW.

ON Wedneſday July the 3d, a Maiden Plate of 50l. for three yr olds, 6ſt. four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 6lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 11lb. and aged, 9ſt. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—heats twice round.

Mr. Smith Barry's ch. c. Eſſence, by Bergamot, 3 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. Melbourne's b. f. 4 yrs old - 3 2
Mr. Corbet's b. m. Mary Holliday, 5 yrs old 2 diſ
Mr. Pearce's ch. m. Bonny Bet, aged - 4 dr

On Thurſday the 4th, 50l. for all ages—4 mile heats.

Mr. Phillips's bl. c. Sultan, by St. Paul, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 7lb. 1 1
Ld Stamford's bl. m. Petrina, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 3lb. 2 2
Mr. Lord's b. h. Jack Andrews, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 6lb. (ſlipped his girths) diſ

On Friday the 4th, 50l. for all ages—4 mile heats.

Mr. Lord's b. h. Jack Andrews, by Joe Andrews, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 6lb. - 1 2 1
Mr. Phillips's ch. c. Dart, 3 yrs old, 6ſt. 2 1 2

AT NEWCASTLE-UNDER-LYME.

ON Wedneſday, July the 3d, a Maiden Plate of 50l. for three yr olds, 6ſt. 4lb. four yr olds, 7ſt. 2lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 6lb. and aged, 8ſt. 10lb. Mares allowed 2lb.—four mile heats.

Mr. Harris's b. m. Fairy, aged 3 1 1
Mr. Tharme's b. c. Gilt, by Symmetry, 4 yrs old 1 2 2
Mr. Heming's b. h. Taffy, aged 4 3 3
Capt. Pigot's b. c. Little Pet, 3 yrs old 5 4 dr

Mr.

Mr. Lockley's b. f. Black Deuce, 4 yrs old — 2 dr

A Sweepſtakes of 10gs each, for three yr olds, 6ſt. 4lb. four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 4lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 12lb. and aged, 9ſt. Mares allowed 2lb. Four miles. (6 Subſcribers).

Capt. Pigot's gr. h. Black George, by Sir Peter, 5 yrs old — 1
Mr. Bayley's ch. h. Conon, 5 yrs old — 2
Ld Stamford's b. f. Scotilla, 4 yrs old — 3
Mr. Lockley's b. f. Black Deuce — 4

On Thurſday the [illegible], the Members' Plate of 50l. for all ages—4 mile heats.

Mr. Carr's b. g. Delamere, by Highflyer, 6 yrs old, 8ſt. 13lb.	2	1	1
Mr. Heming's ch. c. Fugelman, 3 yrs old, a feather	1	2	2
Mr. Bayley's ch. h. Conon, 3 yrs old, 8ſt. 6lb.	3	3	3

NEWMARKET JULY MEETING.

MONDAY, July 8, Mr. R. Heathcote's Trumpeter, by Trumpator, 7ſt. 10lb. beat Mr. Adams's Bennington, 8ſt. 3lb. R. M. 50gs, h. ft.

11 to 8 on Bennington.

Mr. Howard's Speculator, by Dragon, 7ſt. 6lb. beat Mr. Cuſſan's Young Spear, 6ſt. 13lb. Ab. M. 100gs, h. ft.

7 to 4 on Speculator.

The ſecond and laſt year of the July ſtakes of 50gs each, 30 ft. by two yr old colts, 8ſt. 2lb. fillies, 8ſt. Two yr old Courſe. (10 ſubſcribers.)

Mr. Golding's b. c. by Skyſcraper, out of Brighton Belle — 1
D. of Grafton's b. c. by Grouſe, out of a ſiſter to Fergus — 2
Sir C. Bunbury's b. f. by Whiſkey, out of Giantefs — 3
Ld Clermont's bl. c. by Trumpator, of Nerina — 4
Mr. Turner's b. c. brother to Young Spear — 5

11 to 5 agſt Mr. Golding's colt, 3 to 1 agſt the D. of Grafton's colt, 2 to 1 agſt Sir C. Bunbury's filly, and 6 to 1 agſt Ld Clermont's colt.

Mr. Cuſſan's Spoliator, by Trumpator, beat Mr. Cookſon's St. George, 8ſt. each, two middle miles, 100gs.

11 to 10 on Spoliator.

Mr. Wyndham's ch. g. by Fidget, out of a ſiſter to Portia, beat Ld Darlington's b. h. by Mufti, out of Buſy, who plunged, and threw his rider, 8ſt. each. Acroſs the Flat, 100gs.

2 to 1 on the Fidget gelding.

Colonel Groſvenor's b. f. Biburina, by Meteor, out of Olivia, beat Mr. Heathcote's ch. f. by Dragon, out of Tencer's dam, 8ſt. 2lb. each, Ab. M. 100gs.

6 to 4 on Biburina.

Ld Sackville's c. by Sir Peter, out of Brown Charlotte, 8ſt. 3lb. recd. 35gs from Mr. Concannon's Counteſs, by Sir Peter, 7ſt. 12lb. R. M. 50gs.

Mr. Concannon's Sparrowhawk, by Falcon, 8ſt. 7lb. recd. 10gs from Ld Burford's b. f. Combuſtible, by Balloon, 7ſt. 2lb. R. M. 100gs, h. ft.

Tueſday, Mr. Howorth's b. f. Tarantula, by Dragon, out of a ſiſter to Portia, 7ſt. 4lb. beat Mr. Cuſſans's

Cuffan's f. Lady Skirmifh, by Pegafus, out of Gawkey, 7ft. Two yr old courfe, 50gs, h. ft.

5 to 4 on Lady Skirmifh.

Sweepftakes of 20gs each, Two yr old courfe.

Ld Clermont's f. by Trumpator, out of a fifter to Royalift, 3 yrs old, 7ft. 12lb. - 1
Mr. Howorth's f. Tarantula, 2 yrs old, 6ft. - 2
D. of Grafton's ch. c. Vandal, 3 yrs old, 8ft. 7lb. - 3

5 to 4 on Vandal, 5 to 2 agft Ld Clermont's filly, and 3 to 1 agft Tarantula.

Mr. Cuffan's Lady Skirmifh, by Pegafus, 2 yrs old, 7ft. 7lb. beat Sir W. Afton's c. Rolla, by Trumpator, out of America, 3 yrs old, 8ft. 5lb. Acrofs the Flat, 50gs, h. ft.

3 to 1 on Rolla, who fell lame in running.

Fifty Pounds for three yr old colts, 8ft. 4lb. and fillies, 8ft.—laft mile and a diftance of B. C.

Mr. Wilfon's b. c. by Buzzard, out of Calafh - 1
D. of Grafton's ch. c. Vandal 2
Mr. Golding's ch. f. Pigeon, by Trumpator - 3
Ld Clermont's b. c. by Meteor, out of Kifs My Lady 4
Col. Grofvenor's b. f. Biburina 5
Sir C. Bunbury's b. f. Pamela 6
Mr. Chifney's br. c. by Overton, out of Seedling - 7

2 to 1 agft Mr. Wilfon's colt, 2 to 1 agft Pamela, and 4 to 1 agft Pigeon.

Wednefday Mr. Cuffan's f. Lady Skirmifh, by Pegafus, 2 yrs old, 6ft. 2lb. beat Sir W. Afton's c. Fire, by No Pretender, 3 yrs old, 6ft. 11lb. Acrofs the Flat, 50gs, h. ft.

5 to 2 on Fire.

Subfcription handicap plate of 50l. Clermont courfe.

Ld Clermont's Paynator, by Trumpator, aged, 9ft. 1
Mr. Cookfon's St. George, aged, 8ft. 8lb. - 2
Sir C. Bunbury's Combatant, 4 yrs old, 7ft. 8lb. - 3
Mr. Vernon's Lounger, 5 yrs old, 8ft. 8lb. - 4
D. of Grafton's Rattle, 6 yrs old, 8ft. 12lb. - 5

7 to 4 agft Lounger, 3 to 1 agft St. George, 5 to 1 agft Paynator, and 6 to 1 agft Combatant.

Mr. R. Heathcote's Trumpeter, by Trumpator, 7ft. 10lb. recd. 20gs from Mr. Adams's Bennington, 8ft. Ab. M. 50gs, h. ft.

Thurfday Mr. Cuffans's Spoliator, by Trumpator, 8ft. 8lb. recd. ft. from Mr. Howard's Speculator, 7ft. 7lb. Ditch-in, 50gs, h. ft.

AT BEVERLEY.

ON Wednefday, the 10th of July, a fweepftakes of 20gs each, for three yr old colts, 8ft. and fillies, 7ft. 12lb.—One mile and half. (5 fubfcribers.)

Mr. Wentworth's f. Roxana, by Sir Peter - 1
Mr. G. Crompton's c. Little Skirmifh - 2
Mr. Bethell's b. c. by Pofthumous - 3

On Thurfday, the 11th, the members plate of 50l. for three yr olds, 7ft. 7lb. and four yr olds, 8ft. 10lb. Fillies allowed 3lb. The winner of a fweepftakes at York, the laft meeting, or of a 50l. plate this year, carrying 3lb. extra, of two fifties, 5lb. extra.—2-mile heats.

Mr. G. Crompton's gr. g. Agnes, by Delpini, 4 yrs old 1 1

Mr. Artley's b. f. Dutcheſs, 4 yrs old	3	2
Mr. Robinſon's b. f. 3 yrs old	4	3
Sir T. Gaſcoigne's b. f. 3 yrs old	2	4
Mr. Richardſon's b. c. Goliah, 4 yrs old	5	5

On Friday, the 12th, the town plate (maiden) of 50l. for four yr olds, 7ſt. five yr olds, 8ſt. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 10lb. and aged, 9ſt.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Wentworth's ch. c. Barnaby, by Stride, 4 yrs old	1	1
Mr. Welburn's b. h. 5 yrs old	2	2
Mr. Robinſon's b. f. 4 yrs old	3	3

On Saturday, the 13th, 50l. given by the town, the weights as on Friday; the winner of one plate this year, carrying 3lb. extra, of two, 5lb.—four-mile heats.

Mr. Harriſon's b. h. by Trumpator, 6 yrs old	1	1
Mr. Artley's b. f. Dutcheſs, 4 yrs old	3	2
Mr. Richardſon's gr. m. Lilly of the Valley, 5 yrs old	2	3

AT NANTWICH.

ON Wedneſday, the 10th of July, 50l. for three yr olds, 7ſt. and four yr olds, 8ſt. 3lb. Fillies allowed 2lb. A winner of one 50l. in the preſent ſeaſon, carrying 3lb. of two or more, 5lb. extra.—2 mile heats.

Mr. Bayley's b. c. Cadet, by Soldier, 4 yrs old	4	1	1
Mr. Sitwell's gr. c. L'Abbé, 4 yrs old	1	3	5
Sir J. Leiceſter's gr. c. Blue Beard, 4 yrs old	3	2	2
Mr. Robinſon's ch. c. Colonel, 3 yrs old	2	4	4

On Thurſday, the 11th, the town purſe of 50l. for three yr olds, a feather; four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb, five yr olds, 8ſt. 3lb. ſix yr olds 8ſt. 10lb. and aged, 9ſt. 2lb. Mares allowed 2lb. A winner of one plate this year, carrying 3lb. of two or more, 5lb. extra, except three and four yr olds, which carried only 2lb. extra, for two or more plates.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Carr's b. h. Delamere, by Highflyer, 6 yrs old	2	1	1
Ld Darlington's b. h. St. Vitus, 5 yrs old	1	2	3
Mr. Harris's b. m. Fairy, aged	3	3	2
Ld Clarendon's b. c. by Volunteer, 4 yrs old	5	5	4
Mr. Saunders's b. h. Marquis, ſix yrs old	4	4	dr

AT OXFORD.

ON Tueſday, July the 23d, the gold cup, value 100gs, and 80gs in ſpecie, being a ſubſcription of 10gs each, by 18 ſubſcribers, for four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. and aged, 9ſt. 4lb.—four miles.

Mr. Durand's b. f. Belliſſima, by Phœnomenon, dam by Woodpecker, 4 yrs old	1
Mr. Heathcote's b. h. Warter, 5 yrs old	2
Mr. Cookſon's br. h. Diamond, aged	3
Mr. Durand's br. c. Sheet Anchor, 4 yrs old	4

7 to 4 agſt Belliſſima, 2 to 1 agſt Warter, and 5 to 2 agſt Diamond.

The town plate of 50l. for four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 4lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 12lb. and aged, 9ſt. 2lb. A winner of a plate ſince the firſt of January, carrying 3lb. extra, of two plates, 5lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr.

Mr. Lade's gr. h. Truſs, by Pilot, 4 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Bloſs's b. c. Sparrow-hawk, 4 yrs old 3 2
Mr. Frogley's gr. h. Fortitude, 5 yrs old 2 3

On Wedneſday, the 24th, 50l. for three yr olds, 7ſt. and four yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. Fillies allowed 3lb. The winner of one plate ſince the firſt of January, carrying 3lb. of two, 5lb. extra.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Day's br. f. Victoria, by Fortunio, 3 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Frogley's b. f. Nightſhade, 4 yrs old 2 2

On Thurſday, the 25th, 50l. given by his Grace the Duke of Marlborough; weights the ſame as for the gold cup.—3-mile heats.

Mr. Heathcote's b. h. Warter, by King Fergus, 5 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. Lade's gr. h. Will, 6 yrs old - 2 2

AT PRESTON.

ON Tueſday, July the 23d, 50l. given by the Earl of Derby, for three yr olds, 7ſt. 2lb. and four yr olds, 8ſt. 4lb. Fillies allowed 2lb. A winner of one plate or ſweepſtakes, in the preſent year, carrying 3lb of two or more, 5lb. extra.—2-mile heats.

Ld A. Hamilton's ch. c. by Walnut, 4 yrs old 1 1
Ld Derby's b. c. by Sir Peter, 3 yrs old - 4 2
Ld Darlington's ch. c. Raby, 4 yrs old - 2 3
Mr. Trapp's b. c. Caleb, 3 yrs old - 3 4
Mr. Nicholſon's b. c. 3 yrs old - dif

Ld Derby's f. by Sir Peter, out of Paulina, 8ſt. 4lb. recd. ft. from Sir H. P. Hoghton's f. by Buzzard, out of a ſiſter to Fancy, 8ſt.—two miles, 200gs, h. ft.

On Wedneſday, the 24th, a maiden plate of 50l. for three yr olds, 6ſt. 12lb. four yr olds, 8ſt. five yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. ſix yr olds and aged, 8ſt. 10lb. Mares and geldings allowed 2lb.—3-mile heats.

Sir H. Williamſon's ch. c. Stripling, by Phœnomenon, 4 yrs old 1 1
Sir H. P. Hoghton's ch. f. 3 yrs old - 2 2
Ld Derby's b. c. by Sir Peter, 3 yrs old - 3 3
Sir R. Wynn's b. f. 3 yrs old, - 4 dif

Mr. Clifton's f. by Abba Thulle, out of Deſpair, 7ſt. 12lb. beat Mr. Starkie's c. by Citizen, out of the gr. Marſke mare, 8ſt. 1lb. both three yrs old—two miles, 50gs, h. ft.

On Thurſday, the 25th, the member's purſe of 50l. for four yr olds, 7ſt. five yr olds, 8ſt. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. and aged 8ſt. 10lb. Mares and geldings allowed 2lb.—A winner of one plate in the preſent year, carrying 3lb. of two or more, 5lb. extra.—4-mile heats.

Sir H. Williamſon's ch. c. Stripling, 4 yrs old 1 1
Ld Darlington's b. h. Saint Vitus, 5 yrs old - 3 2
Ld A. Hamilton's ch. c. by Walnut, 4 yrs old 2 dr

During the races, a main of cocks was fought, between the Earl of Derby and Richard Groſſe, Eſq. for 10gs a battle, and 200 the main, which was won by the former, fourteen battles a-head. Of nine bye-battles, Lord Derby won 4, and Mr. Croſſe 5.

AT CHELMSFORD.

ON Tuesday, July the 23d, her Majesty's plate of 100gs, for four yr old fillies, carrying 8ft. 7lb. —2-mile heats.

Sir F. Poole's ch. f. Family Failing, by Pot8o's, walked over.

On Wednesday, the 24th, the steward's plate of 50l. for four yr olds, 7ft. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ft. 7lb. six yr olds, 8ft. 12lb. and aged, 9ft. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—The winner of one plate in 1799, carrying 3lb. of two, 6lb. extra.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Girdler's b. c. Capricorn, by Escape, 4 yrs old, walked over.

On Thursday, the 25th, the town plate of 50l. for three and four yr olds, that never won a plate of that value; three yr olds, 7ft. and four yr olds, 8ft. 5lb. Fillies allowed 3lb.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Golding's b. c. Boaster, by Dungannon, 4 yrs old	1	1
Sir F. Poole's b. f. by Dragon, 4 yrs old	2	dr

GLAMORGANSHIRE RACES,

ON CARDIFF HEATH.

ON Wednesday, July the 24th, 50l. by maiden horses, &c. carrying weight for age.—2-mile heats.

Col. Wood's b. f. by Sir Peter, 3 yrs old, 5ft. 11lb.	1	1
Mr. Day's ch. c. by Satellite, 3 yrs old, 6ft.	6	2
Mr. Edwin's b. c. Lurcher, 4 yrs old, 8ft. 5lb.	4	3
Major Snell's ch. f. Haresfoot, 3 yrs old, 5ft. 11lb.	2	4
Mr. Bloss b. g. Squirrel, 6 yrs old, 9ft. 1lb. -	3	dr
Mr. Leigh's b. f. Myrtle, 4 yrs old, 8ft. 2lb.	5	dr

On Thursday, the 25th, the free plate of 50l. for horses, &c. carrying weight for age and qualification—4-mile heats.

Colonel's Wood's b. f. by Sir Peter, 3 yrs old, a feather	1	1
Mr. Day's ch. c. 3 yrs old, a feather -	2	2
Mr. Tuberville's ch. m. Miss King, 6 yrs old, 8ft. 9lb.	3	dis

AT BRIGHTHELMSTON.

ON Friday, the 26th of July, a sweepstakes of 50gs each, h. ft. for two yr old fillies. Two yr old course. (6 subscribers.)

Sir C. Bunbury's b. f. by Whiskey, out of Giantess, 8ft. 7lb.	1
D. of Bedford's br. f. by his Arabian, out of Cælia, 7ft. 11lb.	2

Sweepstakes of 50gs each, the last mile. (4 subscribers.)

Mr. Welch's f. by Cobweb, out of Stingo, 4 yrs old, 8ft. 13lb.	1
Mr. Watson's f. by Creeper, out of Buckingham's dam, 3 yrs old, 8ft. -	2
Sir H. Fetherston's f. by Cobweb, out of Grey Gawkey, 3 yrs old, 7ft. 7lb.	3

The second and last year of a sweepstakes of 10gs each, for two yr olds, carrying 8ft. Two yr old course. The winner was to be sold for 100gs, if demanded, &c. (4 subscribers.)

Mr. Panton's Tarantula, by Dragon -	1
His R. H. the Prince of Wales's f. Active -	2

Mr. Cussan's Young Spear, by Javelin, 7ft. 7lb. beat Mr. Adams's Bennington, 8ft. 3lb. the last mile, 50gs, h. ft.

The second and last year of a sweepstakes of 10gs each, for three yr

yr old colts, 8ft. 4lb. and fillies, 8ft. —the laft mile. The winner was to be fold for 150gs, if demanded, &c. (17 fubfcribers.)

Mr. Howorth's f. Duck, by Trumpator - 1
Mr. Durand's bl. f. Princefs 2
Sir C. Bunbury's b. f. Pamela, by Whifkey - 3
Mr. Panton's b. f. Trip it 4
Mr. Heathcote's f. Biburina 5

Fifty Pounds, for four yr olds, 8ft. five yr olds, 8ft. 10l. fix yr olds, 9ft. 2lb. and aged, 9ft. 5lb.—heats, the new courfe, about a mile and three quarters. The winner was to be fold for 150gs, if demanded, &c.

Mr. Howorth's ch. c. Sparrowhawk, by Falcon, 4 yrs old, 8ft. 0 1 1
Mr. Blagrave's b. c. Sifter, 4 yrs old, 8ft. 4 3 2
Mr. Durand's br. h. Little Devil, 6 yrs old, 9ft. 2lb. - 0 2 dr
Sir C. Bunbury's ch. c. Combatant, 4 yrs old, 8ft. - 3 dr

Mr. R. Heathcote's Schedoni, by Pot8o's, 8ft. 7lb. rec. ft. from Mr. Adams's Cyprefs, 7ft. 10lb. the laft mile and half, 200gs, h. ft.

Saturday, the 27th, the fecond and laft year of the Petworth ftakes of 10gs each, for four yr olds, 7ft. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ft. 7lb. fix yr olds, 9ft. and aged, 9ft. 3lb. Mares allowed 2lb.—Four miles. The winner was to be fold for 250gs, if demanded, &c. (17 fubfcribers.)

Mr. Durand's b. h. Johnny, by by King Fergus, 5 yrs old 1
Ld Egremont's ch. c. Bobtail, 4 yrs old - 2
Ld Clermont's br. h. Lounger, 5 yrs old - 3

Sir T. Wallace's b. c. Heart of Oak, 4 yrs old - 4
Mr. Watfon's gr. h. Oppofition, 6 yrs old - 5
Mr. Lamb's b. c. Speculator, 4 yrs old - 6
Sir C. Bunbury's b. h. Wrangler, 5 yrs old - 7

Fifty Pounds for three yr olds, 7ft. 6lb. four yr olds, 8ft. 11lb. and five yr olds, 9ft. 7lb. Mares allowed 3lb. A winner of a plate or fweepftakes in 1799, carrying 3lb. of two, 7lb. extra—heats, the new courfe.

Mr. Durand's bl. f. Princefs, by Sir Peter, 3 yrs old, 7ft. 6ft. - 1 1
Mr. Baldock's br. c. Telegraph, 4 yrs old, 8ft. 11lb. 2 2

Monday, the 29th, a fweepftakes of 50gs each, 30 ft. 8ft. each; laft three quarters of a mile. (5 fubfcribers.)

Sir C. Bunbury's b. f. Clariffa, by Whifkey, out of Giantefs, walked over.

Sweepftakes of 25gs each, the laft mile.

Ld Egremont's Gohanna, by Mercury, 9ft. - 1
Mr. Heathcote's Trumpeter, 8ft. 6lb. - 2
H. R. H. the P. of Wales's Dapple, 8ft. 6lb. - 3
Mr. Blagrave's Ballinamuck, 7ft. 8lb. - 4
Mr. Welch's f. by Cobweb, 7ft. 11lb. - 5

Mr. Cuffans's Young Spear, 7ft. 11lb. beat Mr. Adams's Bennington, 8ft. the laft mile, 50gs, h. ft.

Handicap plate of 50l.—heats, the new courfe.

Mr. Howard's Speculator, by Dragon, 4 yrs old, 7ft. 10lb. 4 1 1
Sir C. Bunbury's Combatant, 4 yrs old, 7ft. 7lb. 1 3 4

Sir

Sir T. Southcote's Aſcot, aged, 8ſt. - 5 2 3
Mr. Wyndham's ch. g. by Fidget, five yr olds, [illegible]ſt. 8 5 2
Mr. Howorth's Cypreſs, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 2lb. 7 4 dr
Mr. Blagrave's Siſter, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 7lb. 9 6 dr
Mr. Hay's bl. h. Midnight, aged, 8ſt. 5lb. 2 dr
Mr. Durand's Play or Pay, aged, 8ſt. 13lb. 3 dr
Mr. Watſon's Oppoſition, 6 yrs old, 8ſt. 10lb. 6 dr

AT EDINBURGH.

On Monday, July the 5th, the City Plate of 50gs, was won by Ld Caſſillis's Carrick, beating Col. Herbord's Herbert, who won the firſt heat, and five others.

On Tueſday, the 6th, his Majeſty's plate of 100gs, for four yr olds, 7ſt. 4lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 9lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. 5lb. and aged, 10ſt. —4-mile heats.

Mr. I'Anſon's Applegarth, by Stride, 4 yrs old - 3 1 1
Sir H. Williamſon's Honeycomb, by Drone, 4 yrs old - 1 2 2
Mr. Oſwald's Pentygruel, 5 yrs old 2 3 dr

On Wedneſday, the 7th, the Noblemen and Gentlemen's plate of 50l. for all ages.

Ld Bellhaven's ch. h. Maſter Robert, by Star, 6 yrs old 1 1
Sir H. Williamſon's Hambleton, aged - 4 2
Col. Villiers's ch. g. High Eagle, aged - 5 3
Mr. I'Anſon's Applegarth, 4 yrs old - 2 dr
Col. Herbord's Herbert 3 dr

AT HAVERFORD-WEST.

On Monday, the 29th of July, 50l. for three yr olds, 7ſt. four yr olds, 8ſt. 8lb. five yr olds, 9ſt. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. 4lb. and aged, 9ſt. 6lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb. The winner of a plate in the year, carrying 3lb. extra, of a King's plate, in any former year, 7lb. and of a King's plate the ſame year, 1ſt. extra.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Gorwood's ch. c. Alderman, by Stride, 4 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Hurſt's b. h. Trojan, 5 yrs old - 3 2
Mr. Heming's b. c. Cadet, 4 yrs old - 2 dr

A ſweepſtakes of 10gs each, for hunters, carrying 12ſt.—four-miles. (6 ſubſcribers.)

Col. Colby's b. g. Mountaineer, by Eraſmus - 1
Mr. Heming's b. H. Taffy 2

On Tueſday, the 30th, 50l. for horſes bred within the principality of Wales; three yr olds, a feather; four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. and aged, 9ſt. 4lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Corbet's b. c. Flora, by Dungannon, 4 yrs old 1 1
Col. Colby's b. g. Mountaineer, aged - 2 2
Mr. Heming's b. h. Taffy, aged - 3 3

A cup, value 50gs, by ſubſcribers of 10gs each, the ſurplus to the winner in ſpecie; three yr olds, a feather; four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. and aged, 9ſt. 3lb.—four miles. (6 ſubſcribers.)

Mr. Heming's b. c. Cadet, by Soldier, 4 yrs old 1
Col. Colby's b. f. by Eſcape, 4 yrs old - 2
Mr. Hurſt's b. h. Trojan, 5 yrs old - 3

On

On Wedneſday, the 31ſt, 100gs, for horſes, carrying 12ſt. The winner of any King's plate in a former year, carrying 5lb. of any King's plate this year, 9lb. extra.—4-mile heats.

Ld Oxford's b. m. Lilly, by Highflyer, 5 yrs old 2 1 1
Col. Colby's b. g. Mountaineer, aged 1 diſ
Mr. Corbet's b. m. Mary Holliday, 5 yrs old 3 dr

On Thurſday, the 1ſt of Auguſt, a handicap ſweepſtakes of 10gs each, for the loſing horſes of each day's plate—2-mile heats.

Mr. Hurſt's b. h. Trojan, by Trumpator, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 8lb. 2 1 1
Mr. Heming's b. h. Taffy, aged, 8ſt. 4lb. 1 2 dr
Col. Colby's b. f. by Eſcape, four yrs old, 6ſt. 3 diſ
Mr. Corbet's b. m. Mary Holliday, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 4 dr

Mr. Heming's Cadet, by Soldier, recd. ft. from Mr. Corbet's Deuce, by Volunteer, 8ſt. each—two miles, 50gs, h. ft.

AT KNUTSFORD.

ON Tueſday, July the 30th, 50l. for three and four yr olds—2-mile heats.

Ld A. Hamilton's ch. c. by Walnut, 4 yrs old, 8ſt. 3lb. 1 1
Ld Stamford's b. f. Scotilla, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 12lb. 2 2
Mr. Reece's b. c. 3 yrs old, 6ſt. 11lb. - 3 3
Mr. Billington's ch. c. 3 yrs old, 6ſt. 11lb. 4 4

Mr. Ruſhton's b. c. by Weaſel, beat Mr. Wynn's ch. f. Preference, both four yrs old, 7ſt. 8lb. each, four miles, for 100gs.

On Wedneſday, the 31ſt, a maiden plate of 50l. for four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. and aged, 8ſt. 12lb. —four mile heats.

Mr. Reece's b. c. by Soldier, 4 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. Ruſhton's b. c. 4 yrs old 2 2
Mr. Tharm's b. c. Gammon, 4 yrs old - 3 diſ

On Thurſday, the 1ſt of Auguſt, 50l. for all ages—4-mile heats.

Ld Stamford's ch. h. George, by Dungannon, 6 yrs old, 8ſt. 10lb. - 1 1
Sir W. Gerard's ch. h. Garſwood, five yrs old, 8ſt. 3lb. 2 2

AT BLANDFORD.

ON Tueſday, the 30th of July, 50l. for horſes, &c. that never won that value ſince March, 1798, (matches and ſweepſtakes excepted); four yr olds, 8ſt. 2lb. five yr olds, 9ſt. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. 6lb. and aged, 9ſt. 10lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Andrew's bl. h. Sweeper, by Saltram, aged - 3 1 1
Mr. Græme's br. h. Gunpowder, aged 1 4 3
Mr. Coſier's ch. f. by Dragon, 4 yrs old 5 2 2
Mr. Lade's gr. h. by Sultan, 5 yrs old 4 5 4
Mr. Forth's br. m. Fancy, 5 yrs old - 2 3 dr
Mr. Albert's b. m. Bonny Kate, 5 yrs old 6 dr
Mr. Bloſs's br. g. Lottery, 4 yrs old diſ

On Wedneſday, the 31ſt, 50l. for four yr old colts, 8ſt. 4lb. and fillies, 8ſt. 1lb. The winner of a plate this year, carrying 3lb. of two, 5lb. extra.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Gordon's ch. c. Split Pigeon, by Volunteer 1 1

Mr. Lade's b. c. by Highflyer 2 2

Fifty Pounds given by the Members for the county, for four yr olds, 7ſt. 12lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 12lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. 3lb. and aged, 9ſt. 6lb. Winners of one plate this year, carrying 3lb. of two, 5lb. and of a royal plate, 7lb. extra.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Lade's b. h. David, by Pilot, 5 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Fletcher's ch. m. Eliza, 5 yrs old - 2 2
Mr. Albert's b. m. Bonny Kate, 5 yrs old dif

AT HUNTINGDON.

ON Tueſday, the 30th of July, 50l. for three yr olds, 7ſt. four yr olds, 8ſt. 9lb. and five yr olds, 9ſt. 3lb. Mares allowed 3lb. The winner of one plate or ſweepſtakes in 1799, carrying 4lb. extra, of two, 6lb.—2-mile heats.

Ld Clermont's b. c. by Meteor, 3 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. Golding's br. c. Bragger, 4 yrs old - 2 2
Mr. T. Wilſon's ch. f. by Dragon, 4 yrs old 3 dif

On Wedneſday, the 31ſt, 50l. for four yr olds, 7ſt. 5lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 3lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 10lb. and aged, 9ſt. Winners of one plate or ſweepſtakes in 1799, carrying 4lb. extra, of two, 6lb.—Thoſe that never won a plate or ſweepſtakes, allowed 4lb.—4-mile heats.

Ld Clermont's br. h. Paynator, by Trumpator, aged 1 1
Mr. Golding's br. c. Bragger, 4 yrs old - 2 dr

On Thurſday, the 1ſt of Auguſt, 50l. for four yr olds, 6ſt. 12lb. five yr olds, 7ſt. 12lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 5lb. and aged, 8ſt. 8ſt. Mares allowed 3lb. and the winner of a plate this week, carrying 4lb. extra—4-mile heats. The winner was to be ſold for 150gs, if demanded, &c.

Mr. Golding's br. c. Bragger, by Dungannon, 4 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. H. Sitwell's bl. f. Miſs Anvil, by King Fergus, 3 yrs old - 3 2
Ld Clermont's b. c. by Meteor, 3 yrs old - 2 dr

AT LEWES.

ON Thurſday, Auguſt the 1ſt, the third and laſt year of a ſweepſtakes of 10gs each, for three yr old colts, 8ſt. 3lb. fillies, 8ſt. the laſt mile and half of the courſe.—(5 ſubſcribers.)

Mr. Ladbroke's b. c. Humbug, by Precipitate - 1
Mr. Durand's bl. f. Princeſs 2
Sir F. Poole's b. f. by Mentor 3

Mr. Hay's br. c. Omen, by Dungannon, out of a ſiſter to Noble, 8ſt. 7lb. beat Mr. Warrington's br. f. Miſs Baker, by Whiſkey, 8ſt. both three yrs old—the laſt mile, for 100gs.

Mr. Heathcote's Trumpeter, by Trumpator, 8ſt. 2lb. beat Mr. Adams's Bennington, 8ſt. the laſt mile, for 50gs.

His Majeſty's plate of 100gs, for four yr olds, 10ſt. 4lb. five yr olds, 11ſt. 6lb. ſix yr olds, 12ſt. and aged, 12ſt. 2lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Durand's b. f. Belliſſima, by Phœnomenon, 4 yrs old 1 1
Sir F. Poole's b. c. brother to Waxy, 4 yrs old 5 2
Ld Sackville's ch. h. Magic, 5 yrs old - 4 3
H. R. H. the P. of Wales's br. h. Ploughator, 6 yrs old 3 4
Ld G. Cavendiſh's b. h. by Jupiter, aged - 2 5

Mr.

Mr. Hay's bl. h. Midnight, brother to Minos, by Juſtice, 9ſt. 9lb. agſt Mr. Warrington's Miſs Baker, 8ſt. the laſt mile, for 100gs—off by conſent.

Friday, the county plate of 50l. —heats, two miles and an half each.

Ld Egremont's b. h. Gobanna, by Mercury, aged, 8ſt. 10lb. -	1	1
Sir F. Poole's b. m. Mother Shipton, 5 yrs old, 7ſt. 12lb. -	3	2
Mr. Durand's b. h. Whip, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 1lb.	2	3

A handicap plate of 50l. given by the members for the borough of Lewes—heats, two miles and an half each.

Sir T. Wallace's b. c. Heart of Oak, by Meteor, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 4lb.	1	1
Mr. Durand's b. h. Play or Pay, aged, 8ſt. 8lb.	3	2
Mr. Vernon's b. h. Lounger, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 5lb.	5	3
Mr. Welch's b. f. by Cobweb, 4 yrs old, 6ſt. 9lb.	4	4
Mr. Wyndham's g. by Fidget, 5 yrs old, 7ſt. 12lb.	2	dr

Saturday Ld Egremont's b. h. Gobanna, 8ſt. 7lb. beat Mr. Heathcote's Trumpeter, 8ſt.—the laſt mile, for 100gs.

The firſt year of a ſubſcription of 10gs each, for four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 5lb. ſix yr olds 8ſt. 12lb. and aged, 9ſt. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—four miles. (9 ſubſcribers)

Mr. Durand's b. f. Belliſſima, 4 yrs old - -	1
H. R. H. the P. of Wales's br. h Ploughator, 6 yrs old	2
Mr. Blagrave's ch. c. Ballinamuck, 4 yrs old	3

The ladies plate of 60gs, for three yr olds, 5ſt. 12lb. four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 4lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 9lb. and aged, 8ſt. 11lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—four miles.

Mr. Durand's b. h. Johnny, by King Fergus, 5 yrs old	1
Sir C. Bunbury's b. h. Wrangler, 5 yrs old -	2
Ld Egremont's b. h. Gobanna, aged - -	3
Capt. Blagrave's ch. c. Sparrowhawk, 4 yrs old -	4
Ld Sackville's ch. h. Magic, 5 yrs old -	5
Sir F. Poole's b. c. brother to Waxy, 4 yrs old	6

The town plate of 50l. for three yr olds, 6ſt. four yr olds, 7ſt. 11lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 3lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. and aged, 8ſt. 9lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb. Heats, two miles and an half each. The winner was to be ſold for 250gs, if demanded, &c.

Ld G. Cavendiſh's b. h. by Jupiter, aged	1	4	1
Mr. Durand's br. c. Sheet Anchor, 4 yrs old	2	1	2
Mr. Hay's br. c. Omen, 3 yrs old	4	2	dr
Sir C. Bunbury's b. f. Pamela, 3 yrs old	3	3	dr

AT NOTTINGHAM.

ON Tueſday, the 6th of Auguſt, his Majeſty's plate of 100gs, for four yr olds, 10ſt. 4lb. five yr olds, 11ſt. 6lb. ſix yr olds, 12ſt. and aged, 12ſt. 2lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. G. Crompton's gr. f. Agnes, by Delpini, 4 yrs old -	1	1
Mr. Carr's b. g. Delamere, 6 yrs old -	2	2
Mr. Golding's b. c. Boaſter, 4 yrs old -	3	dr

5 to 4 on Delamere.

Fifty Pounds for four yr old colts, 8st. 7lb. and fillies, 8st. 4lb. The winner of one plate this year, carrying 3lb. extra, of two, 5lb. and of three or more, 7lb.—2-mile heats.

Ld A. Hamilton's ch. c. by Walnut	1	1
Mr. Golding's br. c. Bragger	4	2
Mr. Sitwell's gr. c. L'Abbe	2	3
Mr. Reece's b. c. by Soldier	3	4
Mr. Johnson's b. c. Brewer, by Clown	5	dr

Even betting on Ld A. Hamilton's colt.

Mr. Culling Charles Smith's m. Moll in the Wad, 12st. agst. Capt. Muster's br. m. by Conductor, 11st.—three quarters of a mile, for 100gs, h. ft.—Off by consent.

On Wednesday, the 7th, 50lb. added to a sweepstakes of 5gs each, for three yr old colts, 8st. 2lb. and fillies, 8st.—one-mile heats.—(5 subscribers.)

Mr. Day's b. f. Victoria, by Fortunio	1	1
Mr. J. S. Barry's br. c. Improver	4	2
Mr. Hubbard's b. f. Darling	2	3
Mr. Reece's b. c. by Soldier	3	4

5 to 4 on Victoria.

Hunter's sweepstakes of 5gs each; five yr olds, 10st. 7lb. six yr olds, 11st. 6lb. and aged, 12st.—four miles. (17 subscribers).

Mr. H. Sitwell's ch. h. Lilliputian, by Young Marske, 5 yrs old	1
Mr. R. L. Savile's gr. h. Sir Horatio, 6 yrs old	2
Mr. Lockley's ch. m. No Cocktail, 6 yrs old	3
Col. Lumley's b. h. Welter, 6 yrs old	4
Mr. Johnson's b. c. Brewer, 4 yrs old	5

Even betting on Sir Horatio, and 7 to 4 agst Welter.

On Thursday, the 8th, a maiden plate of 50l. for three yr olds, 5st. 10lb. four yr olds, 7st. five yr olds, 8st. six yr olds, 8st. 12lb. and aged, 9st.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Johnson's b. g. Scarisbrick, six yrs old	1	1
Mr. Richardson's b. c. Milton, 4 yrs old	3	2
Mr. H. Sitwell's ch. h. Lilliputian, 5 yrs old	2	dr

Even betting on Lilliputian.

A sweepstakes of 20gs each, for three yr old colts, 8st. and fillies, 7st. 12lb.—two miles. 9 subscribers.)

Ld Stamford's b. c. Alfred, by John Bull, out of Cypher	1
Mr. Day's b. f. Victoria	2
Mr. R. L. Savile's b. f. by Creeper	3
Mr. Marsden's ch. c. by Achilles	4
Mr. Golding's br. c. by Pegasus	5

2 to 1 on Alfred.

Capt. Musters's ch. m. Frisky, 11st. 6lb. beat Mr. Cooper's gr. m. Arabella, 11st. 3lb.—one mile, for 50l.

AT WORCESTER.

ON Tuesday, August 6th, 50l. given by the members for the City, for maiden horses; three yr olds carrying 6st. four yr olds, 7st. 7lb. 5 yrs old, 8st. 2lb. six yr olds, 8st. 10lb. and aged, 9st. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Bloss's br. m. Mischief, by Alexander, 5 yrs old	1	1
Mr. Harris's b. m. Fairy, aged	4	2
Mr. Coventry's b. h. Opposition, (late St. Ives) 5 yrs old	2	dis
Mr. Phillips's b. m. sister to Edwin, 5 yrs old	3	dr

Mr.

Mr. Benton's b. f. by Caractacus, four yrs old dis
Mr. Edwin's b. g. Lurcher, by Clarinet, 4 yrs old dis
Mr. Snell's ch. f. Hares-foot, by Skyscraper, 3 yrs old dis

Even betting on the field, and after the heat, 3 to 1 on Mischief.

On Wednesday, the 7th, 50l. given by the members for the county, for hunters, carrying 12st. the property of freeholders, and bred in the county, or by freeholders of the county.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Page's ch. g. by Boxer, 6 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. J. Marshall's ch. g. Young Critic, 6 yrs old 2 2

On Thursday the 8th, the county and city subscription of 50l. for four yr olds and upwards, that never won a king's plate; four yr olds carrying 7st. five yr olds, 8st. six yr olds, 8st. 9lb. and aged, 9st. 2lb. A winner of one plate since the 1st of March, carrying 3lb. and of two or more, 5lb. extra. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Benton's br. h. Jack Andrews, by Joe Andrews, 5 yrs old 3 1 1
Mr. Artley's b. f. Dutchess, by Delpini, 4 yrs old - 1 2 3
Mr. Coventry's b. h. Integrity, (late Partner), 6 yrs old - 2 3 2
Mr. Snell's ch. g. Hocks, by Sweetbriar, 5 yrs old - 4 dis

Dutchess the favourite; after the first heat 3 and 4 to 1 she won; and after the second heat, 3 to 1 on Jack Andrews.

Mr. Coventry's b. h. Opposition, by Delpini, beat Mr. Brown's Alonzo, by Domitian, the last mile, 100gs.

AT SALISBURY.

On Wednesday, the 7th of August, his Majesty's plate of 100gs, for four yr olds, carrying 10st. 4lb. five yr olds, 11st. 6lb. six yr olds, 12st. and aged, 12st. 2lb. —4-mile heats.

The Marquis of Donegal's Trifle, 4 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Lade's Grey Pilot, 5 yrs old - 2 2
Major Brereton's King Bladud, aged - 3 3

King Bladud the favourite.

On Thursday the 8th, a silver bowl, given by the city, for any horse, &c. carrying 10st.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Stackpoole's br. m. Fancy - 2 1 1
Mr. Fletcher's ch. m. Eliza - 1 2 2

Fancy the favourite.

The members plate of 50l. was not run for, for want of horses.

On Friday, the 9th, 50l. for horses that never won that value at any one time; three yr olds carrying a feather; four yr olds, 7st. 4lb. five yr olds, 8st. six yr olds, 8st. 10lb. and aged, 9st. 3lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Cosier's ch. f. by Dragon, 4 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Day's ch. c. 3 yrs old 3 2
Mr. Hall's b. m. 2 3
Mr. Lade's Young Sultan, 5 yrs old - 5 4
Mr. Harbot's ch. c. 3 yrs old - 4 5

Mr. Day's c. the favourite.

Mr. T. Ackland's br. g. Sheet Anchor, by Drone, beat Mr. Benet's b. g. Flaccus, 10st. each, two miles.

AT EDINBURGH.

[CONCLUDED.]

ON Thurſday, the 8th of July, hunter's purſe of 50gs—4-mile heats.

Mr. Pierrepont's Rutland 1 1
Col. Baird's Pyebald 2 2

On Friday, the 9th, the ladies ſubſcription purſe of 50gs, for all ages.

Mr. I'Anſon's Applegarth, by Stride, 4 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Graham's gr. h. Little Dick - 3 2
Col. Villiers's ch. g. High Eagle, aged - 2 dr

AT SHAWBURY.

ON Tueſday, the 6th of Auguſt, for the buck and turtle, by hunters, carrying 12ſt. each; three miles.

Mr. Lockley's b. g. Tom Pipes, walked over.

A ſweepſtakes of 5gs each, with 25gs added by Andrew Corbet, Eſq. three yr olds, 7ſt. 2lb. four yr olds, 8ſt. 4lb. five yr olds, and aged, 9ſt.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Smith's b. g. Turk, by Tommy, 4 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Hale's b. f. Kitty Gunpowder, four yrs old, (fell) dif
Mr. Hill's ch. f. Delia, 4 yrs old (fell) - dif
Mr. Lockley's Tom Pipes, 4 yrs old (fell) dif

On Wedneſday, the 7th, a ſweepſtakes of 10gs each, with 20gs added by Wm. Owen and Andrew Corbet, Eſqrs. three yr olds, 6ſt. four yr olds, 7ſt. 6lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 4lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 12lb. and aged, 9ſt. 2lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb. A winner of one 50l. this year, carrying 5lb. and of two or more, 7lb. extra.

Mr. Phillip's bl. c. Sultan, 4 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. Lockley's b. f. Black Deuce, 3 yrs old 2 dr

The gentleman's ſubſcription of 50l. by horſes that never won that value, matches and ſweepſtakes excepted; three yr olds, 6ſt. four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 3lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 10lb. and aged, 9ſt. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—3-mile heats.

Mr. Sander's b. c. by Sir Peter, 3 yrs old 2 1 1
Mr. Jones's b. m. Elvira, by Eſcape, 5 yrs old 1 2 2
Mr. Lockley's Tom Pipes, 4 yrs old - 3 3 3
Mr. Hill's ch. f. Delia, 4 yrs old - 4 4 dr
Mr. Smith's Turk, 4 yrs old, (ran out of the courſe) - diſ

AT DERBY.

ON Tueſday, Auguſt the 13th, 50l. given by his Grace the Duke of Devonſhire, for maiden horſes, &c. three yr olds, 7ſt. 2lb. four yr olds, 8ſt. 5lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 10lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 12lb. and aged, 9ſt.—2-mile heats.

Mr. J. S. Barry's b. c. Improver, by Trumpator, 3 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. E. Sander's ch. g. Sir Robert, 4 yrs old 2 2
Mr. Boates's roan f. 3 yrs old 3 3

On Wedneſday, the 14th, 50l. for horſes, &c. that never won above 50gs at one time; three yr olds, 6ſt. four yr olds, 7ſt. 3lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 3lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 9lb. and aged, 9ſt.—4-mile heats.

Ld Stamford's ch. h. George, by Dungannon, 6 yrs old 1 1

Mr.

Mr. Golding's b. c. Bragger, 4 yrs old - 2 2

AT TAUNTON.

ON Tuesday, the 13th of August, a maiden plate of 50l. for four yr olds, carrying 8ſt. 2lb. five yr olds, 9ſt. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. 6lb. and aged, 9ſt. 10lb. Mares and geldings allowed 2lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Dilly's br. h. Agricola, by Cottager, 5 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Chapel's br. h. Barrington, aged - 2 2
Mr. Cox's b. m. Mad Moll, 5 yrs old - dif
Mr. Collins's b. f. 4 yrs old dif

Sweepſtakes of 10gs each, (9 ſubſcribers)

Capt. Andrew's bl. h. Sweeper, by Saltram, aged 1 1
Mr. Lyon's b. f. North Country Laſs, 4 yrs old 2 2
Mr. Allcock's ch. m. Tree Creeper, 6 yrs old 3 dr

On Wedneſday, the 14th, 50l. for four yr olds, 7ſt. 2lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 12lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. 3lb. and aged, 9ſt. 6lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Gordon's ch. c. Splitpigeon, by Volunteer, 4 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. Lyon's b. f. North Country Laſs, 4 yrs old 2 2
Mr. Cobb's ch. m. Florella, 5 yrs old - dif

Sweepſtakes of gs each, (8 ſubſcribers.)

Mr. Lee's b. m. 13ſt. 1 1
Mr. Bryant's br. h. 13ſt. 2 2

AT LAMBOURN.

ON Wedneſday, the 14th of Auguſt, 50l. the gift of Lord Craven—4-mile heats.

Mr. Lade's gr. h. Truſs, by Pilot, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 7lb. 1 1
Mr. Brereton's br. h. King Bladud, aged, 9ſt. 5lb. 2 2

On Thurſday, the 15th, the noblemen and gentlemen's ſubſcription of 50l. for horſes, &c. that never won plate, match, or ſweepſtakes—2-mile heats.

Mr. Lade's br. h. Young Sultan, by Sultan, five yrs old, 8ſt. 7lb. - 1 1
Mr. Lucas's b. c. Country John, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 7lb. 2 2
Mr. Frogley's b. f. Nightſhade, 4 yrs old, 7ſt. 7lb. 3 3

AT YORK.

ON Saturday, Auguſt the 17th, Sir T. Gaſcoigne's gr. c. Symmetry, by Delpini, 8ſt. beat Mr. Cookſon's b. c. Sir Harry, 8ſt. 2lb.—four miles, for 500gs, h. ft.

5 to 2 on Sir Harry.

Monday, the 19th, his Majeſty's plate of 100gs, for four yr olds, carrying 10ſt. 4lb. five yr olds, 11ſt. 6lb. ſix yr olds, 12ſt. and aged, 12ſt. 2lb.—four miles.

Sir F. Standiſh's br. h. Stamford, by Sir Peter, 5 yrs old 1
Mr. Crompton's gr. f. Agnes, 4 yrs old - 2
Mr. Fletcher's gr. c. Camperdown, 4 yrs old 3

7 to 4 on the field agſt Stamford.

The firſt year of a ſubſcription of 25gs each, for horſes, &c. the property of ſubſcribers, three month's before running; four yr olds, 7ſt. 9lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 5lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 12lb. and aged, 9ſt. Four yr old fillies allowed 4lb.—four miles. (7 ſubſcribers.)

D. of Hamilton's b. f. by Walnut, 4 yrs old - 1

Mr.

Mr. Garforth's b. c. by Spadille, 4 yrs old - 2
Sir T. Gascoigne's gr. c. Symmetry, 4 yrs old - 3

4 to 1 on Symmetry.

Produce sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft.—four miles. (10 subscribers.)

Mr. Pierse's b. c. Jonas, by Escape, out of Lavender, 8st. 7lb. - 1
Mr. Pierse's b. c. by Spadille, out of Young Tuberose, 8st. 4lb. - 2
Mr. G. Crompton's b. f. by Phœnomenon, out of Skypeeper, 8st. 2lb. 3
Ld Fitzwilliam's b. f. by Spadille, out of Miss Hoyden, 8st. 2lb. 4
Mr. Hutchinson's b. c. by Aurelius, out of Kentish Lady, 8st. 4lb. - 5

6 to 4 on the field agst Jonas.

Produce sweepstakes of 100gs each, h. ft. by three yr olds—two miles. (19 subscribers.)

Mr. Pierse's gr. f. by Walnut, out of Contessina, 7st. 11lb. 1
D. of Grafton's b. f. Hornby Lass, by Buzzard, out of Puzzle, 8st. - 2
Mr. Pierse's f. by Coriander, out of Rosamand, 7st. 11lb. 3
Ld Fitzwilliam's b. c. Filbert, by Walnut, 8st. 2lb. 4
Mr. Wilson's ch. f. by Buzzard, dam by Dungannon, 7st. 11lb. 5
Mr. Hutchinson's br. c. by Overton, out of Katherine, 7st. 13lb. - 6
Mr. Garforth's ch. f. by Coriander, out of Rosalind, 7st. 11lb. 7
Sir C. Turner's gr. f. by Overton, out of Hambletonian's dam, 8st. - 8

2 to 1 agst the winner, even betting on Mr. Peirse's two agst the field, and 7 to 2 agst Hornby Lass.

Mr. Cressey's cropt h. Jumbo, by Weasel, aged, beat Mr. Warneford's b. m. Top of the Tree, 5 yrs old, 10st. each, four miles, for 50gs.

3 to 1 on Jumbo.

Tuesday, 50l. for three yr olds, 5st. 4lb. four yr olds, 7st. 7lb. five yr olds, 8st. 5lb. six yr olds, and aged, 8st. 12lb. Mares and fillies allowed 3lb. and maiden horses, &c. 4lb.—4-mile heats.

D. of Hamilton's b. f. by Walnut, 4 yrs old 1 1
Ld Fitzwilliam's b. c. Filbert, 4 yrs old - 3 2
Mr. Crompton's gr. f. Agnes, 4 yrs old - 2 dr.

D. of Hamilton's f. the favourite.

Mr. Dawson's ch. c. by Meteor, out of a sister to Tickle Toby, beat Ld Fitzwilliam's ch. f. by Overton, dam by Diomed, 8st. each, from Middlethorpe corner to the ending post, for 100gs, h. ft.

3 to 1 on Mr. Dawson's colt.

Wednesday Mr. Wentworth's f. Roxana, by Sir Peter, 8st. 3lb. beat Mr. Dodsworth's Manilla, 7st. 10lb.—two miles, for 100gs, h. ft.

5 to 2 on Roxana.

Fifty pounds, given by the city of York, added to one-third of the 25gs subscription, for five yr olds, carrying 8st. 7lb.—four miles.

Sir T. Gascoigne's b. h. Timothy, by Delpini - 1
Sir F. Standish's br. h. Stamford 2
Mr. Wentworth's ch. h. Tartar 3
Ld Fitzwilliam's ch. h. Wonder 4

6 to 4 on Stamford agst the field, and 3 to 1 agst Timothy.

Sir T. Gascoign's gr. f. Maid of the Mill, by Delpini, beat Sir C. Turner's gr. f. Volatile, 8st. each, last mile and an half, for 500gs.

5 to 4 on Volatile.

Thursday

Thursday 50l. given by the city of York, added to one-third of the 25gs subscription, for six yr olds, 8st. 10lb. and aged, 9st.—four miles.

Mr. Cookson's b. h. Ambrosio, by Sir Peter, 6 yrs old - 1
Mr. Wentworth's Harry Rowe, 6 yrs old - 2

13 to 8 on Ambrosio.

Sweepstakes of 50gs each, h. ft. colts, 8st. 2lb. fillies, 8st.—two miles. (4 subscribers.)

Mr. Wentworth's ch. c. Monmouth, by Stride 1
Ld Fitzwilliam's ch. c. by Overton - - 2

5 to 2 on Monmouth.

Friday, 50l. given by the city of York, added to one-third of the 25gs subscription, for four yr olds; colts, 8st. 7lb. fillies, 8st. 4lb.—four miles.

Mr. Baker's b. c. Jonas, by Escape - 1
Mr. Garforth's b. c. by Spadille 2
D. of Hamilton's b. c. by Spadille - 3
Mr. Peirse's b. c. by Walnut 4

6 to 4 agst Jonas, 8 to 1 agst Mr. Garforth, 4 to 1 agst the D. of Hamilton, and 5 to 4 agst Mr. Peirse.

Sweepstakes of 20gs each, for two yr olds; colts, 8st. fillies, 7st. 12lb.—last mile. (5 subscribers.)

Mr. T. Robinson's b. f. Belle-fille, sister to Belle-vue 1
Mr. Dawson's ch. c. by Meteor 2
Mr. Garforth's ch. c. by Accacia 3
Mr. G. Crompton's ch. c. Allspice - 4

7 to 4 agst Belle-fille, 2 to 1 agst Mr. Dawson, 7 to 1 agst Mr. Garforth, and 5 to 4 agst Allspice.

Saturday the ladies plate, free for any horse, &c. four yr olds, 7st. 9lb. five yr olds, 8st. 5lb. six yr olds, 8st. 12lb. and aged, 9st. fillies allowed 3lb—four miles.

Sir F. Standish's br. h. Stamford, 5 yrs old - 1
Mr. Fletcher's Camperdown, 4 yrs old - 2
Mr. Garforth's b. c. by Spadille, 4 yrs old - 3

2 and 3 to 1 on Stamford.

Sweepstakes of 50gs each; colts, 8st. fillies, 7st. 12lb.—two miles.

D. of Hamilton's gr. c. by Walnut - 1
Sir T. Gascoigne's brother to Symmetry - 2
Mr. Garforth's ch. c. by Coriander, (allowed 2lb.) 3
Mr. Fenton's b. c. Carmarthen, did not weigh.

6 and 7 to 4 on the winner.

Sir T. Gascoigne's Maid of the Mill, by Delpini, beat Mr. Swan's Manilla, 8st. each, last mile and an half, for 100gs.

2 and 3 to 1 on Maid of the Mill.

AT CANTERBURY.

ON Tuesday, August the 20th the first year of a sweepstakes of 10gs each, for three yr old colts, 8st. 2lb. and fillies, 8st.—two miles. (9 subscribers.)

Mr. Marsham's b. c. Gislebert, by Precipitate - 1
Mr. Durand's bl. f. Princess, by Sir Peter - 2
Mr. Harris's c. Jemmy, by Volunteer, out of Miss Kitty 3
Ld Sondes's b. f. Desperate, by Escape - 4

A sweepstakes of 20gs each, for three yr olds, 7st. and four yr olds, 8st. The winner of a plate or sweepstakes this year, carrying 3lb. extra.—two miles. (5 subscribers)

Ld

Ld Romney's ch. c. Bobtail, by Precipitate, 4 yrs old 1
Mr. Croſoer's b. c. Sheet Anchor, 4 yrs old 2
Mr. Baldock's br. c. Telegraph, 4 yrs old - 3

A ſweepſtakes of 10gs each, for all ages; three yr olds, 7ſt. four yr olds, 8ſt. 4lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 12lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. 1lb. and aged, 9ſt. 2lb.—two miles. (11 ſubſcribers)

Mr. Durand's b. f. Belliſſima, by Phœnomenon, 4 yrs old 1
Ld Romney's b. h. Gohanna, aged - 2

On Wedneſday, the 21ſt, the king's plate of 100gs, for four yr olds, 10ſt. 4lb. five yr olds, 11ſt. 6lb. ſix yr olds, 12ſt. and aged 12ſt. 2lb.—four mile heats.

Mr. Durand's b. f. Belliſſima, 4 yrs old, walked over.

Fifty pounds given by the county members, for horſes, &c. that never won the value of 20l. at any one time; three yr olds, 6ſt. four yr olds, 8ſt. five yr olds, 8ſt. 12lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. 5lb. and aged, 9ſt. 7lb. Mares allowed 2lb.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Hyde's b. f. Elizabeth, by Toby, 3 yrs old - 2 1 1
Mr. Watſon's b. f. Hopeful, 3 yrs old 1 2 2

On Thurſday, the 22d, the city plate of 50l. for three yr olds, 6ſt. 12lb. and four yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb.—Mares allowed 2lb. Winners of a match this year, carrying 2lb. and of a plate or ſweepſtakes, 4lb. extra.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Ladbrooke's b. c. Humbug, by Precipitate, 3 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. Durand's ch. f. Duck, by Trumpator, 3 yrs old 2 2

On Friday, the 23d, the county plate of 50l. for three yr olds, 5ſt. four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. ſix yr olds, 9ſt. and aged, 9ſt. 3lb. Mares allowed 2lb. A winner of one plate or ſweepſtakes this year, carrying 2lb. of two, 4lb. of three, 6lb. and of the king's plate, 7lb. extra.—4-mile heats.

Mr. Durand's b. h. Johnny, by King Fergus, 5 yrs old - 2 1 1
Mr. Croſoer's br. m. Dairy Maid, 5 yrs old 1 2 2

AT HEREFORD.

ON Tueſday, Auguſt 20th, 50l. for three yr olds, a feather; four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 7lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 12lb. and aged, 9ſt. 2lb. Mares allowed 3lb.—4-mile heats. A winner of one plate in 1799, carrying 3lb. of two, 5lb. and of three or more, 7lb. extra; and a winner of a king's plate ſince the 1ſt of March, to carry 7lb. extra.

Ld Oxford's ch. c. Dart, by Spear, 3 yrs old 1 1
Ld Stamford's bl. m. Petrina, 5 yrs old - 3 2
Mr. Phillips's bl. c. Sultan, 4 yrs old - 2 dr

6 to 4 on Sultan; after the firſt heat, 4 to 1 on Dart.

On Wedneſday, Auguſt the 21ſt, 50l. for three and four yr olds—2-mile heats.

Ld Oxford's b. f. Lady Jane, by Sir Peter, 3 yrs old, 7ſt. 2lb. - 1 1
Mr. Heming's b. c. Cadet, 4 yrs old, 8ſt. 10lb. 2 2
Mr. Collett's b. c. Ratafia, 4 yrs old, 8ſt. 10lb. 3 3

On Thurſday, the 22d, 50l. for all ages—4-mile heats.

Mr. Artley's b. f. Dutcheſs, by

by Delpini, 4 yrs old, 7st. 4lb. - 1 1
Mr. Hemming's b. c. Cadet, 4 yrs old, 7st. 7lb. 2 2

AT MONTROSE.

ON Tuesday, August 20th, a subscription purse of 50l. weight for age—4-mile heats.

Mr. M'Adam's ch. h. Master Robert, by Star, 6 yrs old - 2 1 1
Mr. Graham's b. f. Popoe, by Scorpion, 3 yrs old - 1 3 2
Sir H. Williamson's b. h. Hambleton, aged 4 2 3
Ld Cassillis's b. m. by Scaramouch, 4 yrs old 3 dis

Mr. Maule's br. f. Sandglass, by Scorpion, out of Master Robert's dam, 7st. 8lb. beat Mr. Hunter's b. c. O'Connor, 7st. 10lb. both 4 yrs old, two miles, 50gs.

Wednesday the 21st. 50l. given by the Hon. Wm. Maule, weight for age;—4 mile heats.

Sir H. Williamson's b. c. Honeycomb, by Drone, 4 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. Maule's b. f. Levity, by Star, out of Tipsy, 3 yrs old - 2 2

Thursday the 22d, 50l. by subscription, weight for age;—4-mile heats.

Col Villiers's ch. g. High Eagle, by Ruler, aged 1 0 1
Sir H. Williamson's Hambleton, aged 4 3 2
Mr. Graham's b. f. Popoe, 3 yrs old 2 0 dr
Mr. M'Adam's b h. Hippopotamus, 6 yrs old 3 4 dr

Friday the 23d, 100l. by subscription, weight for age, heats, twice round the course.

Mr. M'Adam's ch. h. Master Robert, 6 yrs old - 1 1
Sir H. Williamson's b. c. Honeycomb, 4 yrs old 5 2
Mr. Graham's b. c. Introduction, 4 yrs old - 4 3
Mr. Maule's br. f. Sandglass, 4 yrs old - 3 4
Mr. Oswald's b. h. Pantagruel, 5 yrs old . - 2 3
Mr. Crichton's b. f. Sparks, by Star, 3 yrs old - dis

AT READING.

ON Tuesday, August the 27th, 50l. for all ages; four yr olds, 7st. 10lb. five yr olds, 8st. 10lb. six yr olds, 9st. 2lb. and aged, 9st. 5lb. Mares allowed 3lb. The winner of one plate this year, carrying 3lb. of two, 5lb. and of more, 7lb. extra.—4 mile heats.

Ld Sackville's b. c. Heart of Oak, by Meteor, 4 yrs old 1 1
Mr. Lade's gr. h. Grey Pilot, 5 yrs old - 2 2
Mr. Cosier's ch. f. by Dragon, 4 yrs - 3 3

On Wednesday the 28th, 50l. for four yr olds, 7st. 11lb. and five yr olds, 8st. 7lb. the other conditions as on Tuesday.

Mr. Lade's gr. h. Truss, by Pilot, 5 yrs old 2 1 1
Mr. Cosier's ch. f. by Dragon, 4 yrs 1 2 dr

On Thursday the 29th, 50l. for three yr old colts, 8st. and fillies, 7st. 11lb. The winner of one plate this year, carrying 2lb. and of more,—4lb. extra.—heats, once round.

Mr. Durand's bl. f. Princess, by Sir Peter - 1 1
Ld Oxford's b. f. Lady Jane 2 2
Mr. Hay's br. c. Omen 3 3

AT BURFORD.

ON Wednesday, the 28th of August, his Majesty's plate of 100gs, for five yr olds, 9st —3-mile heats.

Mr. Heathcote's b. h. Warter, by King Fergus, 5 yrs old, walked over.

On Thursday, the 29th, 50l. for all ages;—4-mile heats.

Ld Oxford's b. m. Lilly, by Highflyer, 6 yrs old, 9st. 2lb. -	1	2	1
Major Rooke's Jack Andrews, 5 yrs old, 9st. 3lb. -	2	1	2
Mr. Bloss's b. g. Squirrel, 6 yrs old, 8st. 13lb.	3	dis	

5 to 4 on Lilly; after the heat, 3 to 1; after the second heat, even betting.

The first year of the cup, a subscription of 10gs each, for three yr olds, the new course. (4 subscribers.)

Ld Oxford's ch. c. Dart, by Spear, walked over.

AT CHESTERFIELD.

ON Wednesday, the 28th of August, 50l. for maiden horses, of all ages; three yr olds, 6st. 3lb. four yr olds, 7st. 7lb. five yr olds, 8st. 7lb. six yr olds, and aged horses 9st. Horses that had started three times or more, during the last year and this year, and not having won either match or sweepstakes, allowed 5lb. Mares and geldings allowed 3lb.—four-mile heats.

Sir R. Winn's b. f. by Abba Thulle, 3 yrs old	2	1	1
Mr. H. Sitwell's ch. h. Lilliputian, 5 yrs old	3	2	2
Mr. Marsden's ch. c. Sherwood, by Achilles, 3 yrs old -	1	3	dr

A sweepstakes of 10gs each, for hunters, bona fide the property of subscribers, 12st. each, four miles. —(5 subscribers.)

Mr. Savile's gr. h. Sir Horatio, by Magog, 6 yrs old	1
Mr. H. Sitwell's ch. h. Lilliputian, 5 yrs old -	2

On Thursday, the 29th, a gold cup, value 70l. free for any horse, &c.—three yr olds, 6st. four yr olds, 7st. 7lb. five yr olds, 8st. 3lb. six yr olds, 8st. 12lb. and aged, 9st. —four-mile heats.

Mr. Sitwell's gr. c. L'Abbe, by Delpini, 4 yrs old -	2	1	1
Mr. Tharme's b. c. Gift, by Symmetry, 4 yrs old -	1	2	2

Mr. H. Sitwell's ch. m. 7st. 7lb. beat Mr. Bennett's h. 8st. 7lb. 50gs. Once round the course.

Mr. H. Sitwell's bl. f. Miss Anvil, by King Fergus, 3 yrs old, 7st. 2lb. agst Mr. Smith's Fireaway, 5 yrs old, 9st.—two miles, 100gs, h. ft.—Off by consent.

AT RICHMOND, YORKSHIRE.

ON Tuesday, September the 3d, a sweepstakes of 10gs each, with 50l. added by the Corporation of Richmond, for all ages; three yr olds, 6st. four yr olds, 7st. 9lb. five yr olds, 8st. 5lb. six yr olds, 8st. 11lb. and aged, 9st. Four yr old maiden fillies allowed 2lb. A winner of one 50l. plate, subscription, or sweepstakes, this year, carrying 3lb. extra, (except three yr olds) — 3-mile heats (9 subscribers.)

Sir W. Gerard's b. c. Suwarrow, by Star, bought of Mr. Linton, 3 yrs old	1	1

Mr.

Mr. T. Hutchinson's b. c. Duncan, 4 yrs old 3 2
Mr. Wentworth's ch. h. Tartar, 5 yrs old - 2 3

6 and 7 to 4 on Suwarrow, 5 to 1 agst Duncan, and 6 to 1 agst Tartar.

Ld Darlington's Raby, by Pegasus, recd. ft. from Sir H. T. Vane's Push-forward, 8st. each, three miles, 100gs, h. ft.

Wednesday, the 4th, his Majesty's plate of 100gs, for five yr old mares, carrying 10st. four miles.

Sir H. T. Vane's b. m. Lopcatcher, by Young Marske 1
Mr. Richardson's gr. m Lilly of the Valley - 2

5 to 2 on Lopcatcher.

A sweepstakes of 20gs each, for three yr old colts, 8st.—once round the course. (5 subscribers.)

Mr. Wentworth's ch. c. Monmouth, by Stride 1
D. of Hamilton's gr. c. by Walnut, dam by Bourdeaux 2
Mr. T. Hutchinson's ch. c. Alexis, by King Fergus, dam by Young Marske 3

4 to 1 agst Monmouth, 6 to 4 on the D. of Hamilton's c. and 2 to 1 agst Alexis.

The cup, free for any horse, &c. except the winner of a great subscription at York this year; three yr olds, carrying 5st. 10lb. four yr olds, 7st. 7lb. five yr olds, 8st. 3lb. six yr olds, 8st. 10lb. and aged, 9st. Fillies allowed 2lb.—four miles.

Sir H. T. Vane's br. c. Cockfighter, by Overton, 3 yrs old 1
Mr. Alderson's gr. c. Baron Nile, 3 yrs old 2
Ld Darlington's b. h. Plaistow, 5 yrs old - - 3
Mr. Lonsdale's ch. c. by Rockingham, 3 yrs old 4

7 to 4 agst Cockfighter, 2 to 2 agst Baron Nile, 3 to 1 agst Plaistow, and 4 to 1 agst Mr. Lonsdale's c.

On Thursday, the 5th, 50l. for all ages; three yr olds, 7st. 7lb. four yr olds, 8st. 7lb. five yr olds, 9st. 3lb. six yr olds, and aged, 9st. 7lb. Three yr old fillies allowed 2lb.—2-mile heats.

Mr. Fletcher's gr. c. Camperdown, by Delpini, 4 yrs old - 1 1
Mr. T. Hutchinson's b. c. Duncan, 4 yrs old 3 2
Mr. Cornforth's bl. c. 3 yrs old - 2 3

6 to 4 on Camperdown, 2 to 1 agst Duncan, and 5 to 1 agst Mr. Cornforth's c.

AT EGHAM.

ON Tuesday, Sept. the 3d, 50l. for all ages—4-mile heats.—With this condition, that the winner was to be sold for 200gs, if demanded, &c.

Mr. Durand's Play or Pay, by Ulysses, aged, 9st. 1lb. 1 1
Ld G. Cavendish's b. h. by Jupiter, aged, 8st. 13lb. 2 2

Play or Pay the favourite.

Mr. Harris's ch. f. Allegranti, by Pegasus, beat Mr. Bullock's f. by Javelin, 8st. each, the last three quarters of the new mile.—Mr. Bullock staked 100gs to 70gs.

Allegranti the favourite.

On Wednesday, the 4th the ladies plate of 50l. for three and four yr olds—2-mile heats.

Ld Egremont's ch. c. Bobtail, by Precipitate, 4 yrs old, 8st. 10lb. 1 1
Mr. Durand's ch. f. Duck, 3 yrs old, 7st. 1lb. 2 2

Bobtail the favourite.

A ſweepſtakes of 20gs each, for two yr old colts, 8ſt. 3lb. and fillies, 8ſt.—the laſt half of the New Mile. (4 ſubſcribers.)

Mr. Harris's ch. f. Allegranti, by Pegaſus, out of a ſiſter to Verjuice - 1
Mr. C. Day's b. c. by Fortunio 2
Mr. Martin's ch. c. Better, by King Fergus - 3

Allegranti the favourite.

Mr. Handcock's poney Volatile, beat Mr. Pardy's poney, Cottager, a feather each, two miles, for 50gs.

On Thurſday, the 5th, the town plate of 50l. free for all ages;—2-mile heats. With this condition, that the winner was to be ſold for 300gs, if demanded, &c.

Sir C. Bunbury's b. h. Wrangler, by Diomed, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 8lb. 1 1
Mr. Durand's bl. f. Princeſs, 3 yrs old, 6ſt. 11lb. 3 2
Mr. Lade's gr. h. Truſs, 5 yrs old, 9ſt. 3lb. 2 3

Princeſs the favourite.

A ſweepſtakes of 15gs each, for all ages, four miles. (3 ſubſcribers.)

Mr. Durand's b. c. Sheet Anchor, by Noble, 4 yrs old, 8ſt. 3lb. - 1
Mr. Lade's gr. h. Grey Pilot, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 11lb. 2

Grey Pilot the favourite.

AT WARWICK.

ON Tueſday, September the 3d, his Majeſty's plate of 100gs, for four yr olds, 10ſt. 4lb. five yr olds, 11ſt. 6lb. ſix yr olds, 12ſt. and aged, 12ſt. 2lb.—four-mile heats.

Ld Donegall's b. c. by Pot8o's, out of Trifle, 4 yrs old, walked over.

Sweepſtakes of 10gs each, for all ages—heats, one mile. (9 ſubſcribers.)

Mr. C. Day's b. f. Almira, (late Granadilla) by Fidget, walked over.

Fifty Pounds for all ages, 4-mile heats.

Ld Stamford's bl. m. Petrina, by Sir Peter, 5 yrs old, 8ſt. 3lb. - 1 2 2 1
Major Brereton's b. h. King Bladud, aged, 9ſt. 3lb. 3 3 1 2
LdOxford's b. m. Lilly, 6 yrs old, 9ſt. 2 1 3 dr

On Wedneſday, the 4th, a maiden plate of 50l. given by the members for the Borough; three yr olds carrying 6ſt. 4lb. four yr olds, 7ſt. 7lb. five yr olds, 8ſt. 3lb. ſix yr olds, 8ſt. 9lb. and aged, 8ſt. 11lb. Mares and geldings allowed 2lb.—heats, ſomething more than two miles.

Mr. Saunder's ch. g. Sir Robert, by King Fergus, four yrs old - 4 3 1 1
Mr. Jones's b. m. Elvira, five yrs old 1 4 2 2
Mr. Lockley's ch. m. No Cocktail, 6 yrs old - 3 1 3 3
Mr. Milbourne's b. f. by Caractatus, 4 yrs old - 2 2 dr

The town plate of 50l. was not run for, only two horſes being entered.